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## BOWDOIN-HAMILTON DEBATE

In the Bowdoin-Hamilton debate held in Memorial Hall on Thursday, March 25, Bowdoin was declared the winner by a two to one vote of the judges. The negative side of the question, "Resolved, that the naval strength of the United States should be materially increased," was upheld by the Bowdoin team, consisting of George W. Bacon '15, Francis P. McKenney '15, George H. Talbot '15, with Hayward T. Parsons '16, alternate. The Hamilton team was made up of John H. Gardner '16, Ernest S. Griffith '17, Charles McSouth, Jr. '16, with John Boyce '17 as alternate. McSouth was unable to take part, Boyce speaking in his place.

The affirmative argued that because of international relations in the Pacific, that is, complications that might arise with Japan, because of the risk of conflict with European nations on account of the Monroe Doctrine, and because of the weakness of our navy, it was imperative that the United States navy should be materially increased. On the other hand the negative stated that war was unlikely, that our navy is strong and adequate in its present state, and that it would be inconsistent for our country, which will probably be the leader in any peace movement after the present war, to increase her armament. Each side showed a thorough knowledge of the subject and facts.

President Hyde presided. The judges were Mr. Frank W. Cushwa of Exeter, N. H.; Professor Windsor P. Daggett of Orono, and Rev. Ashley D. Leavitt of Portland. Music was furnished by the Freshman orchestra.

## WESLEYAN-BOWDOIN DEBATE

While the negative side was winning at home, the Bowdoin team supporting the affirmative was defeated by the Wesleyan team at Middletown, Conn. The decision of the judges was unanimous. The men who represented Bowdoin were A. C. Kinsey '16, E. C. Moran '17, A. B. Chapman '17, with W. J. Tackaberry '15 as alternate.

The Wesleyan team consisted of C. D. Sapp, E. E. H. Martin, H. R. Willoughby, with Mansfield Freeman, alternate.

The judges were Ex-Gov. Henry Roberts and

Col. C. H. Burpee of Hartford, and Alfred H. Campbell of Springfield.

Hamilton, supporting the negative, won over Wesleyan at Clinton, N. Y. Thus the negative side was victorious in each of the three debates, each of the three colleges winning a debate and losing one.

## DR. HAMILTON HOLT LECTURES

March 24 in Memorial Hall, Dr. Hamilton Holt, editor of the *Independent*, lectured upon "The Federation of the World."

Dr. Holt introduced his remarks by a quotation from Ex-President Roosevelt's inaugural: "What I want is a Senate that will give me arbitration treaties and a House of Representatives that will give me battleships." He went on to say that this statement was not paradoxical, but nothing more than an expression of the public sentiment of the present, which holds the misguided belief that armament must be held ready as a final means of arbitration if peaceful arbitration fails. Very clearly Dr. Holt then showed the impossibility of armed peace and the fallacy of the belief that armament is a prevention of war.

The speaker dealt briefly with the four common indictments, as he called them, of war; four reasons why armament for the United States is inadvisable. (1) The magnitude of the enginery of war, terrorizing men from fighting; (2) the friendship between our nation and other nations; (3) the uncertainty of what new developments this war will bring forth; (4) the fact that the United States should have an important part in establishing peace. He showed that these arguments are valid only in part. The real grounds for restraining ourselves from present armament, are threefold: the moral argument, the biological argument, and the economic argument.

He stated that it is the duty of the United States as greatest neutral power at the present day, to forward the cause of peace by abstaining from armament. In closing, he offered the federation plan for the nations, drawing as striking analogy between the original federation of the United States and the proposed federation of the nations, showing how each is to be based, not

on the principle of home rule but on that of sacrifice. In closing he re-emphasized the responsibility of the United States in the matter, and prophesied the approaching development of the International Federation.

#### DEKE-PSI U. DANCE

The local chapters of Delta Kappa Epsilon and Psi Upsilon held a joint dance in the Deke house on Thurs. evening, March 25. The patronesses were: Mrs. W. B. Mitchell, Mrs. A. O. Gross and Mrs. R. K. Eaton, of Brunswick.

Among the guests were the Misses Muriel Stevens of West Roxbury, Mass., Mary Manning and Helen Smith of Swampscott, Mass., Rose Daniels of Brookline, Mass., Marie Fogg of Westbrook, Irene Jackson of Waterville, Dorrice Robinson of Bangor, Margaret Starbird, Marion Starbird, Esther Sayward, Catherine Webb, Janet Marriner, Ruth Morrill, Alberta Robinson, Beatrice Palmer, Elizabeth Hobbs of Portland, Ellen Baxter and Isabel Palmer of Brunswick, Pauline Hatch of Bath.

The committee in charge of the dance was composed of Eastman '15, MacDonald '15 and Fuller '16. Arlington's Orchestra of Portland furnished music for an order of 18 dances.

#### DELTA UPSILON DANCE

The Delta Upsilon dance was held at the chapter house Thursday evening, March 25.

The decorations were in old gold and blue, the fraternity colors.

Stetson's orchestra furnished music for 20 dances. The patronesses were Mrs. William Hawley Davis, Mrs. Belle S. Knowlton and Mrs. Joseph S. Stetson. The committee in charge was MacCormick '15, Pettingill '16, Pirnie '18.

Among the guests were: Misses Evelyn Swett, Clare Ridley, Marguerite Hutchins, Sarah Baxter, Marjorie Strout and Isabel Pollard of Brunswick; Misses Ella Rankin and Elizabeth Hall and Fidelia Woodbury of Portland; Misses Miriam Kimball and Bernice Oliver of Bath; Miss Ruth Hooper of Lewiston; Misses Mary Bell and Marion Morse of Auburn; Miss Flora Norton of Kingfield; Misses Jessie Merrill and Maude Merrill of Freeport.

#### NEW FRENCH INSTRUCTOR

During Professor Brown's leave of absence his work will be carried on by Mr. Francis Asbury Waterhouse of Waltham, Mass. Mr. Waterhouse graduated from Harvard in 1905, receiving the A.B. degree, and in 1906 an A. M. degree.

For two years he taught in the Volkman

School, Boston. In 1910 he became instructor in the romance languages at Dartmouth, continuing in this position until 1913 when he became French instructor at the University of Pennsylvania. He remained at Penn but a short time being forced by illness to resign.

#### THE SPRING RALLY

April 21 has been chosen as the date of the big festivities of the Spring Rally when speeches, vaudeville and "eats" will appear as headliners. The rally immediately precedes the ball game with Trinity and the dual meet with Bates and is intended to start off the spring activities in baseball, tennis and track. The committee in charge are making plans by which the event will be unusually good. It is hoped that "Dave" Campbell, the newly elected football coach, will make his initial appearance before the students as a speaker. Contrary to the usual custom, souvenirs will be done away with, and especial stress will be made upon the quality and abundance of refreshments. Live wires for speakers and a rousing good vaudeville show similar to the one given recently at the time of the interscholastic meet will combine to entertain. The College Band will feature "Bowdoin Beata," "Phi Chi" and other Bowdoin songs. The committee handling the big time consists of McWilliams '15, Eaton '15 and Elwell '15.

#### THE MARCH QUILL

This is a very serious, almost a sombre *Quill*, appropriate no doubt to the season but not at all responsive to the advice of recent reviewers. The present reviewer is moved to think that the contributors would soon see and express the brighter and more buoyant phases of life if they would cultivate some intimacy with old Schopenhauer and his pessimism.

Appearing the day after Dr. Holt's admirable address on the attainment of world peace, the *Quill* very properly opens with a well-constructed and technically correct peace-poem—the content of which, however, is merely a pious plea for the immediate restoration of peace in Europe. That the poet is unable to exhibit any real sense of the awful fierceness, the intensity of the emotions involved in this war is not at all surprising, for who of us in America does not know that these things are beyond every effort of the imagination?

To comment finally on the first instalment only of "Hugh Kneller," a serial, which apparently is to run through three numbers at least, would be unwise. We have here a philosopher, Hugh Kneller, Ph.D. He has been successful in his

profession, but has met no girls who have been able to interest him. "So he had ruled them out of his scheme of the cosmos." " 'A man cannot do his best work and carry a woman too,' he had long ago formulated as his rule of conduct." This sounds like a descent from the philosopher to the mere doctor of philosophy—but the reviewer refrains from a final judgment. Apparently Dr. Kneller has now met his fate and one fancies we are to have in later instalments the story of his surrender, but who can tell what surprises and turns of fortune the author has in store?

"Nature's Voices" is a short poem by one who has discovered the pathetic fallacy and gives it a fit illustration.

Perhaps the most notable contribution to this number of the *Quill* is the gruesome monologue of the dying moments of a New York gangster, who had become a drug-fiend. Imagining himself already a "stiff," he notes with introspective interest the sensations of his new estate. The impression on the reader is direct and vivid, and the management of the gangster's argot is excellent.

The poem to "The Portland Organ," written with the formal limitations of a difficult type of sonnet, lacks, however, the concentration which is one of the distinctive elements of the sonnet. The lines individually have received careful treatment, but the wandering of the thought from the real theme leads to the disquieting seventh line—"a coin from out my coat effects the trade"—which surely is not altogether at home here.

The one essay in this *Quill* is an indictment of unambitious "Mediocrity," and the treatment is stern indeed. It is not, however, precisely mediocrity itself, but mediocrity as an ideal that the writer very justly condemns. The writer would no doubt admit that considerably over ninety-nine per cent. of us are bound by nature to be and remain mediocrities. But it is startling to note that he finds so many for whom mediocrity is the ideal of life. And he finds them all hypocrites. It is always a satisfaction to discover and formulate simple causes for complex effects but one must feel that the pursuit of a false ideal is associated as often with plain ignorance as with hypocrisy. Not only the cause of this unworthy acceptance of mediocrity but also its remedy is offered, and this is the adoption of a rationalized system of specialization. Discover your one great talent and make the most of it; at the same time exercise your minor talents in strict moderation. If we could only feel sure that every one had a major talent! There are pessimists who believe that the possession of a marked talent for

a particular activity is rare.

"Mediocrity" is fittingly followed by Mr. Robinson's "John Jarvis," a sonnet the excellent workmanship of which stands in grim contrast with the sad failures of John. For of John the poet can only say in neat modern form that "nothing in his life became him like the leaving it."

The Exchange-Editor has conscientiously examined and graded his material, and despite certain mannerisms of style and some carelessness he leaves the reader in no doubt where the good undergraduate writing is being done.

The reviewer is inclined to think that, although this is not a notable number of the *Quill*, it is quite up to the average. The necessity of using so fine and delicate an instrument as the English language before one has had the years of constant and careful practice, which alone can give freedom and precision in its manipulation, must inevitably restrict the possibilities of undergraduate writing. But one would like to see even at this stage a certain tightening of the grip on this instrument, more of an effort to avoid the occasional looseness of thought and expression.

—R. J. H.

#### RESOLUTION OF STUDENT COUNCIL

The following resolution was passed by the Student Council at its last meeting:

Believing that "cribbing" and dishonest classroom work are injurious to the man who does it, unjust to the men who work with him, and detrimental to the aims and ideals of the College as a whole; and believing that such dishonest work is being practiced here by some men to an extent which demands immediate and thorough attention from the student body, the Student Council hereby expresses its heartiest condemnation of the acts of those who seek to get high marks or merely to "get by" through dishonest methods and calls on the student body to take every step possible toward stopping such practices.

#### TRACK MEN REST

By reason of vacation, active track work was suspended until the present week. The squad has kept in training, however, at the advice of Coach Magee, to be in good condition for the strenuous season now approaching. Manager Chase has a dual meet scheduled with Bates at Brunswick on April 24. Consequently, in preparation for this event, work will begin on the campus this afternoon, and will continue until the track at Whit-tier Field is in suitable condition.



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## The New Orient

The change in the editorial board of the ORIENT does not mean a change in policy. The ORIENT will continue to be the medium of expression of undergraduate opinion and its columns will be open to reasonable communications from all who are interested in the College. The aim of the ORIENT will be not to criticise radically or to shout for reform in a spirit of militant journalism, but to criticise helpfully, to suggest, and to serve. We shall stand for what we think are the best interests of the College, and shall oppose any movement which we think detrimental to those interests just as we shall favor any movements which advance them. We reserve the right to refuse matter which might be of decided news value if the greatest good of the College demands

their refusal, but in our discussion of a question we shall state the arguments of our opponents as frankly as we state our own. For our immediate predecessors, Mr. Leigh and Mr. MacCormick, we have only praise, and we shall follow, as far as possible, in the lines which they have mapped out.

For another year, at least, the ORIENT will be published in its old form, pending further investigation of the advantages and disadvantages of both the proposed newspaper form and the present magazine form. We shall be glad to hear our readers' opinions on the subject.

## The Student Council Resolution

In another column is published a resolution of the Student Council regarding dishonest classroom work. We find it hard to believe that a large percentage of Bowdoin undergraduates employ unfair methods in the pursuance of their class-room duties, and while we do not propose to discuss either the moral or practical aspects of dishonesty in courses we do join with the Student Council in expressing condemnation of cribbing and those who practice it.

## Inter Fraternity Baseball

The news that the Student Council has taken steps for the organization of a fraternity baseball league is welcome. Too often we meet criticism that only varsity men are given opportunity to take part in athletics. While varsity men are undoubtedly given greater opportunity—for the very reasons that make them varsity material—we have intra-mural games which include everybody who has the inclination and any measure of ability. The interfraternity baseball league ranks first among these. An early start and a finish before Ivy week will insure the success of the league.

In this connection the further increase of intra-mural athletics might be suggested. Interfraternity or interdormitory track meets in the winter and spring could be added without interference with any existing form of games, and we suggest their serious consideration.

## Going Out for Track

With the first dual meet less than three weeks away the track team is faced with the problem of early development. While Bowdoin has far brighter prospects in track than she has been able to boast for a number of years, hard and faithful work by every member of the squad is necessary for their fulfillment.



We all remember the dual meet with M. I. T. last year when Bowdoin's inexperienced team, handicapped by unfavorable weather and consequent poor condition was badly defeated. This year the same handicaps are with us and it will take persistent effort to overcome them. Every man with any track ability should report for first practice this afternoon.

#### Y. M. C. A. ELECTIONS

The following officers have been elected by the Y. M. C. A. for the ensuing year:

President, Foster '16.

Vice-President, Winter '16.

Corresponding Secretary, McConaughy '17.

Treasurer, Crosby '17.

Recording Secretary, Norton '18.

Alumni Advisory Committee, Dean Sills '01, for two years; W. A. MacCormick '12, for one year.

### The Other Colleges

Abolition of intercollegiate athletics in the State of Washington is proposed in a bill introduced in the state legislature by an eastern Washington Senator. The bill has been declared by college dailies as a "cheap scheme to gain publicity." Questions are asked why intercollegiate debate and oratory should not be regarded in the same light as athletics.

Penn State is making an effort to organize a student fire department. The necessary equipment for this work has been purchased. Hereafter the members of the department will do the fire fighting, instead of having the confusion of the entire student body, as has been the custom.

The Dartmouth *Alumni Magazine* for March says: "Altogether the freshman record is looked upon by the dean's office as very satisfactory. And the moral of that is, hats off to the fraternities. Comparative records of fraternity and non-fraternity standing are not yet prepared. Whatever they show, the fact remains that fraternities have done well by their novitiates."

Almost a score of Stanford University students who recently spent a night tied to trees in the hills back of the University of California, were released at dawn when truce was declared between warring youth of the rival colleges. The Stanford students were captured when they attacked a big concrete letter "C" on the hill overlooking the state university, cut the power wires that illuminated it and gave battle when attacked by a guard of Berkeley men.

Queen's University at Kingston, Ontario, re-

cently held a convocation in honor of its undergraduates who will leave for the war in the next Canadian contingents. All seniors were given their degrees and all other classes an additional year's rank. Fifty students were so honored.

The new Yale boathouse at Gales Ferry, which is now practically completed and ready for use, has an equipment superior to that of any other collegiate crew training quarters in America. In place of the old building which stood on the same site and furnished merely a covering for the shells, the crew now has a house which not only has up-to-date equipment for handling shells and oars, but also provides quarters for twenty-five men, besides toilet, bathing and dressing facilities for the entire crew squad.

The Senior Class Endowment Fund of the University of Pennsylvania class of 1915 has been awarded to the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company, which insured the whole graduating class last year at Williams. Each member of the class can pledge himself to subscribe as much as he feels able. The policies are for \$1,000, \$500, and \$250, the premiums on which average yearly \$49.92, \$23.96, and \$11.98, respectively. The fund comes due in twenty years, and, as many have pledged, it is hoped to raise \$50,000. The money will be used to erect a memorial in the form of a new dormitory, baseball cage or something the university needs.

Princeton faces the most pretentious rowing schedule of its history. They race Annapolis over the Seven River course, compete against Columbia and Pennsylvania for the Childs Cup on Lake Carnegie and hold a triangular regatta with Cornell and Yale on May 15th. The junior boat will compete at the American Henley at Philadelphia.

The faculty of Bates College has given its consent for an application to be made to the National Council of Delta Sigma Rho for the establishment of a chapter in their college. Delta Sigma Rho, essentially like Phi Beta Kappa, is a society whose purpose is to "encourage effective and sincere public speaking." Anyone who has taken active part in an intercollegiate debate or represented the College in an oratorical contest would be eligible to membership, whether student or graduate.

Dartmouth musical clubs visit eight cities during their spring trip. Cleveland is the western terminus and among the other cities are Hartford, Albany, Buffalo and New York. The trip is the longest that has been attempted by a Dartmouth organization for some years.

Among the recent interesting features and ex-

hibitions at Dartmouth has been a print show at which a group of portraits in oil color and engravings of distinguished men of the college were shown. In addition to the Webster collection, were some of the best engraved portraits of George Washington, mezzotints by Peter Pelham, engravings by Paul Revere and several portraits by A. B. Durand, one of the greatest of all line engravers in the history of America.

Colby College trustees are planning a new dormitory which will probably be built during the summer, and will be a replica of Roberts' Hall.

The grand reunion of the University of California's twenty-five thousand alumni from fifty classes back, representing twelve college generations, will take place May 7 in conjunction with the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Freshmen fussers are to be card indexed at the University of Colorado in order to ascertain the relation between their fussing and their studies. It is thus hoped that a proper ratio can be maintained between these two essentials of any college education.

The class of 1895 of Colby College has offered three prizes of \$25, \$15 and \$10 each for the three best original Colby songs written by any undergraduate or alumnus of the college. The songs may be set to familiar tunes or may be accompanied by original music. The award of prizes will take place next Commencement.

Out of a total of 150 faculty members of the University of Maine, 55 have degrees from the University. Harvard is represented by eleven men. Other institutions raking high in the list are the University of Pennsylvania and Bowdoin College, each with seven men; Yale and Indiana University, with six each; Columbia, Chicago and Ohio State, with five each. Sixty-three institutions are represented in the list of instructors provided by the state for its University.

Seven foreign institutions are represented on the faculty, the list including Munich, Paris, Yassy, Toronto, Dorpat, Besancon and Hochschule ur Bodenkultus.

The *Princetonian*, speaking editorially, expresses the opinion that paid coaches will never be eliminated from college athletics. It offers the argument that the American mind must undergo a change before such a step can be successfully carried out. The American mind, it claims, believes in organization whether the business at hand is football or farming. In answer to the statement that football is too highly organized, it advances the theory that through football receipts alone other sports less profitable can be supported.

New York University is considering the creation of a new office, the student treasurer. The purpose of this office will be to put an end to the system which allows student organizations to become responsible for debt which they do not pay. All student activities with the exception of athletic teams and fraternities will be put on a sound financial basis by this plan. The duties of the student treasurer will be to see all bills contracted by student organizations are fully and promptly paid. No debt could be contracted without the approval of the treasurer.

Non-fraternity men of Dartmouth lead the college in scholastic work.

### The Library Table

Among the new and interesting books recently received in the Library are: *Why We Are at War*; *Great Britain's Case*, by members of the Oxford faculty of Modern History, and *An Ethical Problem* (concerning scientific experiments and a discussion on vivisection). This book is the gift of the author, Albert Leffingwell, M.D.

Incidental to the publishing of McCall's biography of Thomas Brackett Reed, the *Lewiston Journal Saturday Magazine* of Jan. 30 and Feb. 6 contained reminiscences of a college-mate of Reed which give a vivid and interesting description of college life in the sixties. College and fraternity politics evidently ran high at that time and Reed was always in the thick of the battle. The writer recalls many college pranks, some of which far surpass anything the modern college man dares attempt. He also gives his recollections of several of the famous Bowdoin professors at that time, including President Leonard Woods, who once had the unusual honor of talking with the pope, Gregory VI, in Latin; with Louis Philippe in French, and with the German Emperor in his language, as well as conversing in English with the English royal family.

### Club and Council Meetings

A meeting of the Track Club was held at the Psi U. house on Tuesday evening, March 23. Coach Magee spoke at some length on the track prospects for the spring, mentioning the possibility of a Freshman meet with Bates, and urging all men who intended to go out for track work of any kind during the spring to keep in condition even while practice was temporarily not under way. In view of the success of the indoor meet, Coach Magee was quite optimistic. Captain McKenney and Manager Chase also

spoke briefly. There were between thirty and thirty-five in attendance.

On the evening of March 24 there was held an important meeting of the Student Council. Various business of importance was transacted. The report of the Football Dance Committee was received. A resolution was passed on the subject of cribbing. Sampson '17, was elected Assistant Calendar Manager. Arrangements were made for the Spring Rally; it was decided to have another vaudeville show after the nature of the one at the Interscholastic Meet; it also seemed advisable to expend the larger proportion of the financial allotment this year on "eats" rather than souvenirs such as have been given in former years. Two committees were appointed: one to take charge of Interfraternity Baseball, consisting of Elwell '15, Chairman, Floyd '15, and Stone '15; the other to classify the various employments of Bowdoin students, composed of Koughan '15 and Lewis '15.

On the afternoon of March 25, at a meeting of the Athletic Council, fencing B's were awarded to Floyd '15, Porritt '15, Leadbetter '16, and Hargraves, Medic '18.

### With the Faculty

Professor Mitchell visited Washington Academy at East Machias last Thursday and spoke at the Calais School Teachers' Club on Friday evening.

The play, "Green Stockings," is to be given at the Cumberland Theatre on Thursday, April 22, by the Brunswick Dramatic Association. Among those in the cast are Professor Files, Professor Bell, Mr. Langley and Mr. Furbish.

The second annual meeting of the New England Oral English and Public Speaking Conference was held at Harvard University, March 23. Bowdoin was represented by Professor Davis who was elected treasurer of the association.

Dean Sills spoke at Portland High School to the boys of the school, March 25.

President Hyde presided at a meeting of the Interdenominational Conference of Maine at Lewiston, March 26. This conference was founded here in Memorial Hall 25 years ago.

Professor Brown has been granted a leave of absence for the remainder of the second semester. Professor Brown will give all his time to the management of the Portland Players of which he was one of the organizers. This company which has been modeled on the plan of the Northampton Municipal Theatre, gave its initial performance at the Jefferson Theatre in Portland last night.

Professor Woodruff expects to build a residence on Maine Street next summer.

At a meeting of the Town and College Club last Friday evening, Dean Sills read a paper on "Canada and the Canadians."

### On the Campus

Means '12, Cressy '12 and Wish '13 were on the campus the week before vacation.

Crowell '13 and Ramsay '15 substituted in several French classes the week before vacation.

The baseball squad enjoyed only a short vacation, as they returned last Tuesday for practice.

A. S. Gray '18 was initiated into Alpha Delta Phi and L. C. Wyman '18 into Kappa Sigma, just before vacation.

Dean Sills, Bodurtha '15 and Piedra '17 attended the funeral of Lawrence McFarland in Portland, March 25.

Grant '18 was injured in the baseball cage Thursday. He received a bad cut over the eye from a batted ball.

The barrel of clothing collected for Dr. Grenfell will be shipped to Boston at once in order to be sent north on the first boat in May.

The call for candidates for assistant tennis manager has been given. Freshmen candidates should hand their names to Woodman '16 or Stone '17.

Alfred Noyes, the English poet who delivered the Annie Talbot Cole lectures here last year, will lecture and read from his own works in Portland on April 17, under the auspices of the Women's Alliance of the First Parish.

In addition to the baseball men the following were members of the Hang-over Club: Bodurtha '15, Farrar '15, Ramsay '15, Fuller '16, Proctor '16, Sayward '16, D. White '16, Bingham '17, Campbell '17, H. White '17, Edwards '18 and Morrison ex-'18.

### Resolutions

BOWDOIN CHAPTER OF PHI CHI.

Whereas: Our Heavenly Father has thought it best to call from among us our beloved brother, Lawrence McFarland, of the Class of 1915, and

Whereas: We, the Bowdoin Chapter of Phi Chi Fraternity, hope to express our great sorrow in this, the death of our brother, therefore be it

Resolved: That the chapter extend its heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family in their affliction, and be it further

Resolved: That the badges of the fraternity be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days, and be it further



Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family, and that one appear in the *Phi Chi Quarterly* and that another be kept in our own records.

F. S. ECHOLS,  
G. A. TIBBETTS,  
P. K. HOLMES,  
*For the Chapter.*

#### CLASS OF 1915, BOWDOIN MEDICAL SCHOOL.

Whereas: Our Heavenly Father has thought it best to call from among us our beloved classmate, Lawrence McFarland, and

Whereas: We, the class of 1915, hope to express the great sorrow that is ours in the death of our classmate, therefore be it

Resolved: That the class express our deepest sympathy to his family in their sorrow; and be it

Resolved: That we, the class of 1915 of the Bowdoin Medical School do deeply mourn the loss of our classmate; and be it further

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of the deceased.

G. A. TIBBETTS,  
A. WOODCOCK,  
E. L. HUTCHINS,  
*For the Class.*

#### CALENDAR

##### April

13. Harvard at Cambridge.
17. Portland (N. E. League) at Portland.
19. Trials in Memorial Hall for N. E. Oratorical League contest.
21. Spring Rally.
23. Trinity at Hartford.
24. Dual Meet with Bates at Brunswick.

#### Alumni Department

'57.—An interesting article on Parisian Reform by Professor Albert H. Currier, D.D., of Oberlin may be found in the current number of *Case and Comment*.

'69.—Hiram Tuell died at his home in Milton, Mass., March 23. He was born in West Sumner, Me., and attended Bowdoin College, where he was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Psi Upsilon. He was principal of high schools in Marlboro, Blackstone and Milton. Lately he had been a practicing attorney in Boston. He is survived by a widow and two daughters, one teaching at Wellesley and the other in the Somerville High School.

'88.—Rev. Percival F. Marston, D.D., has been obliged by ill health to resign his charge at Grinnell, Iowa.

'03.—Philip T. Harris of the United States Forest Service now has his headquarters at Tacoma, Wash.

'09.—Rev. Charles L. Stevens, for the past three years pastor of the First Congregational Church of Chicopee, Mass., has resigned and accepted the pastorate of the Congregational Church in Camden, Maine.

'10.—In the March number of *Education*, Edward Harlan Webster, now head of the English department of the Technical High School, Springfield, Mass., contributes an article forcefully advocating "Coöperation of departments in English Instruction and Practice." After showing how all lessons in history, science and modern languages should be made exercises in oral composition, he says, by way of illustration:—

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## BOWDOIN PLAYS HARVARD TODAY

Bowdoin's 1915 baseball season opens today when she meets Harvard on Soldiers' Field, Cambridge. During the past two weeks daily practice under Coach Coogan has been held either on Whittier Field or in the cage. The team has steadily been rounding into shape and some fast workouts have taken place. Everything points to a close battle with Harvard this afternoon. The team, consisting of Captain Eaton '15, Fraser '16, Kelley '16, McElwee '16, Bradford '17, Chapman '17, Goodskey '17, Phillips '17, Donnell '18, Pendleton '18, Stanley '18, Woodman '18, with Manager Dunn and Coach Coogan, left last night for Harvard. They will return on the late train tonight. Maine also plays Harvard two days later and the followers of the team will have a chance of comparing our team with that from Orono. On Saturday Bowdoin plays the Portland team of the New England League at Bayside Park, Portland, and the Lewiston team of the same league next Monday morning at Lewiston.

No chance will be given the students to see the first team in action at home until May 1, when Bowdoin plays Maine in her first game of the Maine State series. There will be an opportunity, however, to see the second team next Monday when it plays Coburn Classical Institute here.

The new suits were given out last Saturday. They are of white flannel with a faint pencil stripe and black borders.

Coach Coogan wishes to express through the ORIENT his appreciation of the men who willingly sacrificed the larger part of their vacation to return for early practice. It was because of this that he has been able to bring the team along to its present good condition.

## TRACK SQUAD START SPRING PRACTICE

With the appearance of pleasant weather spring track work has begun in earnest. During the past week Coach Magee has had his men practicing daily on the campus and Whittier Field. The workout has consisted principally of light conditioning work including jogging, soccer and medicine ball. Coach Magee plans to enter several new men, especially Freshmen, in the Bates meet in order to give them experience.

Last Sunday afternoon the men went for a five mile walk with Coach Magee, and it is his plan to continue these walks every Sunday afternoon during track season. Every man should be at the Chapel at two-thirty.

The time for the daily practice at Whittier Field is two-thirty and Coach Magee desires everyone to be there promptly at that hour. At present the squad consists of 63 men, the following being a list of the men at the various training tables in their respective fraternity houses: Alpha Delta Phi: McWilliams '15, Smith '15, Martell '17, Rickard '17, H. White '17, A. S. Gray '18, J. W. Thomas '18, H. Young '18; Beta Theta Pi: Bacon '15, McKenney '15, Bird '16, Hall '16, Ireland '16, Leadbetter '16, B. Moulton '16, Webber '16, Humphrey '17, Pierce '17, Sampson '17; Bowdoin Club: Hodgkins '16, Fenning '17, Fillmore '17, Gregory '17, Willey '17; Beta Chi: Howard '18, Hurlin '18; Delta Kappa Epsilon: Fuller '16, Irving '16, Balfe '16, Colbath '17, Crosby '17, W. W. Blanchard '18, Ripley '18, Savage '17, C. Wyman '18; Delta Upsilon: Babcock '17, Bond '17, Young '17, Freese '18, Jacob '18, Peacock '18, Pirnie '18, B. A. Thomas '18; Kappa Sigma: Cutler '15, Floyd '15, A. Stetson '15, Oliver '17, Hildreth '18, Warren '18, L. C. Wyman '18; Psi Upsilon: Boardman '16, Sayward '16, Keene '17, Johnson '18, Wallace '18; Theta Delta Chi: Wood '16, Campbell '17, Farnham '18, MacDonald '18; Non-Fraternity: Noyes '17, O'Donnell '18, Simonton '18, Van Wart '18, nell '18, Simonton '18, Van Wart '18.

## INTERFRATERNITY BASEBALL SCHEDULE

A schedule for the Interfraternity Baseball League was drawn up by the managers last week. There will be two divisions of five teams each, chosen by lot. Division A will consist of Alpha Delta Phi, Psi Upsilon, Delta Kappa Epsilon, Zeta Psi and Beta Theta Pi. In Division B will be Theta Delta Chi, Kappa Sigma, Delta Upsilon, Bowdoin Club and Beta Chi. Each team is to play one game with each of the other four in the division, and the winners in each division will play a series of three games for the championship before Ivy Day. The proposal to play at six in the morning was not considered favorably by

the majority, and most of the games will probably be played on the Delta at four in the afternoon. The two fraternities, however, are to arrange the time between themselves. Ample provision has been made for postponed games on the days left open.

The fraternities have chosen the following managers: Alpha Delta Phi, Haggett '16; Psi Upsilon, Head '16; Delta Kappa Epsilon, Balfe; Zeta Psi, Soule '16; Beta Theta Pi, Bird '16; Theta Delta Chi, Wood '16; Kappa Sigma, Somers '15; Delta Upsilon, Piedra '17; Bowdoin Club, Fillmore '17; and Beta Chi, Richardson '16. A list of the captains will be given later as most of the fraternities have not elected leaders as yet. Also a list will soon be posted of the 'varsity men who will not be allowed to participate. The committee from the Student Council in charge of the interfraternity baseball consists of Elwell '15, chairman, Floyd '15 and Stone '15.

The following schedule which was drawn up is subject to change:

April 16—Bowdoin Club vs. D. U's.

April 20—A. D's vs. Betas.

April 21—T. D's vs. B. X's.

April 22—Psi U's vs. Dekes.

April 23—Kappa Sigs vs. Bowdoin Club.

April 26—Open.

April 27—Zetes vs. A. D's.

April 28—Open.

April 29—Open.

April 30—D. U's vs. B. X's.

May 3—Betas vs. Psi U's.

May 4—Kappa Sigs vs. T. D's.

May 5—Dekes vs. Zetes.

May 6—Bowdoin Club vs. B. X's.

May 10—A. D's vs. Psi U's.

May 11—Open.

May 13—T. D's vs. D. U's.

May 14—Betas vs. Dekes.

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May 21—A. D's vs. Dekes.

May 24—U's vs. Kappa Sigs.

May 25—Zetes vs. Betas.

#### SOPHOMORES DEFEAT FRESHMEN

The Sophomores won the baseball series with the Freshmen by beating them Saturday in a one-sided game on the Delta. In the six innings, the Sophomores piled up 13 runs while the Freshmen failed to score. From the time Shumway knocked out a home run in the first inning, the Freshmen's chances were slim. Several of the best Freshmen pitchers were reserved for the 'varsity, and while

Morse played a plucky game, the Sophomores seemed to find his few curves. Wight and Colbath were the heavy hitters for the Sophomores.

A swift foul tip hit a small town boy named Lowery in the face, fracturing his nose. He had been standing in the front row of the spectators too near the plate. Dr. Whittier was out of town and a doctor down town attended him and found that he will not be permanently disfigured. Another foul tip, earlier in the game, punctured a window in Adams Hall. Each class had won a game last fall and this one decided the series postponed from last fall.

Summary:

SOPHOMORES	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Bartlett, ss	4	2	2	0	2	1
Shumway, 1b	4	1	1	4	0	0
Keene, 3b	4	2	2	1	1	2
Colbath, lf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Fenning, c	3	2	1	7	0	0
Marston, p	2	1	1	3	3	0
Corbett, rf	1	2	0	1	0	0
Wight, cf	3	1	3	1	0	0
Moran, 2b	1	2	0	2	1	0

Totals	25	13	12	18	7	3
FRESHMEN	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Morse, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Casper, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Coyne, c	3	0	1	8	0	1
Ripley, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Walker, 1b	1	0	0	4	0	1
Woodworth, 3b	3	0	2	0	2	1
Moulton, ss, rf	2	0	0	0	1	1
Leydon, 2b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Wheet, rf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Stearns, ss	1	0	0	0	1	1

Totals	21	0	5	15	5	5
Innings:	1	2	3	4	5	6
1917	3	3	2	1	4	x—13
1918	0	0	0	0	0	0—

Two base hits, Colbath 2, Wight 2; three base hits, Wight; home run, Shumway; stolen bases, Bartlett 2, Fenning, Marston 2, Corbett, Casper 2, Coyne 2, Woodworth; base on balls, by Marston 1, by Morse 4; struck out, by Marston 6, by Morse 5; hit by pitched ball, Walker, Corbett. Umpire, Dyar. Time, 1.10.

#### TRANSLATION OF DIVINE COMEDY

Professor Johnson's translation of the Divina Comedia of Dante Alighieri was published April 9 by the Yale University Press. The book is very attractively bound in blue and white, with gold lettering, and not a detail has been overlooked to



make it a triumph of the bookmaker's art.

The volume represents twenty-three years of painstaking labor on the part of the author; nineteen in translating the work along the exacting lines laid down for himself and the last four years spent in thorough revision.

The work fills a long-felt want in the world of literature. There are many translations of Dante's Divine Comedy.—Longfellow's has long been eminent. But many faults may be found with the great majority of these translations; they abound in archaic words and almost meaningless phrases. In Professor Johnson's work, great care has been taken to have the meter of every single line as perfect as possible. The diction is very modern and full of meaning. Blank-verse is employed most successfully. A pleasing innovation in works of this kind is introduced, in that, instead of foot-notes, all explanations and Latin etymologies are given in the appendix.

The translation reflects much credit upon the long labors of Professor Johnson, and it is certain that it will become a monument to the greatness of the possibilities of translation.

#### NEW COLLEGE BULLETIN ISSUED

A number of the Bowdoin College Bulletin entitled "Municipal Accounting and Reporting" has recently been issued. This bulletin, which is the first of the Municipal Research series, contains an address which was delivered during March by Professor Orren C. Hormell before the Maine State Board of Trade at Lewiston. In his address Professor Hormell deploras the lack of systematic and business-like methods of accounting which is prevalent in many cities of the country. The steps that Massachusetts has taken to reform the systems of accounting of her towns and cities are stated and the value of systematic accounting shown. A form for the classification of revenues and expenditures in the annual town report of a town similar to Brunswick is included in the bulletin. This form was drawn up in connection with a study of the financial condition of Brunswick, made by the students in the Municipal Government course.

There is also in the bulletin a brief description of the work of the Bureau for Research in Municipal Government which was established at the College in September, 1914. The primary purpose of the bureau is to furnish adequate facilities for the training of students in the use of first-hand material relating to town, city government. A second aim is to supply information to the authorities and citizens of Maine towns and cities.

A collection of material relating to a number

of municipal problems has been made by the bureau during this college year. From this collection, a collection of ballots was loaned to the special committee on ballot reform of the Maine legislature. A collection of city charters was furnished a committee of the Augusta Board of Trade engaged in preparing charter amendments for the city of Augusta. The Board of Trade of the town of Sanford was supplied with literature relating to the town manager plan.

#### BIG SPRING FESTIVAL

Up to the time we went to press, the Pinkerton men working on the case had been unable to ferret out the plans for the big Spring Rally to be held in Memorial Hall, Wednesday, April 21. The committee is keeping everything secret and refuses to divulge anything beyond the fact that the Rally will offer to the most pleasure-sated undergraduate new thrills and sensations, that it will tickle the most jaded palate, and drive carking care from the most study-wrinkled brow. It has been learned that leading caterers have submitted bids for the gastronomic supplies and that only the war prevents the chefs of Paris from competing.

As for entertainment, it is probable that new vaudevillians will tread the boards, though the warm weather has affected the wearers of the sock and buskin. For the more serious entertainment, there will be several short, snappy speeches by some of those in charge of spring sports. There will be music galore, from bass drum solos to the band's united efforts. There will be cheers and songs and everything necessary to give baseball, track and tennis a big send-off.

#### MASQUE AND GOWN

A call has been issued for Freshman candidates for assistant manager of the club. Names should be handed in to Edwards '16.

The office of property man is a new and important position created this year, and its importance may correspond to that of president or manager. The property man is to have charge of all club properties and will travel with the club on all trips. Mr. Arthur Brown and the new coach to be chosen later, will have charge of training him. Freshmen who wish to go out for the position are asked to give their names to Stride '17.

All of the provisional cast of *As You Like It* are requested to keep Friday evening free from other engagements, for, beginning April 16, Friday evening is to be the regular rehearsal night.

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The Kansas State Agricultural College gave its first annual winter circus this year. Both men and women took part and the proceeds were taken for the support of athletics.

One hundred thousand dollars annually is the sum earned by students of Iowa State College working to pay their expenses while in school, as estimated in recent statistics by the secretary.

## Alumni Department

'77.—Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, U.S.N., retired, celebrated the sixth anniversary of his attainment of the North Pole by giving last Thursday evening in Washington an "Alaska dinner" in honor of Secretary Redfield of the Department of Commerce. The speakers, including Secretary Redfield, Assistant Secretary Jones of the Interior Department, Commissioner Hugh M. Smith of the Bureau of Fisheries, and Superintendent Jones of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, told of the work that the United States Government is doing in developing Alaska, and incidentally made frequent allusions to the fact that the *Roosevelt*, the ice-fighting ship from which Peary made his dash for the pole, has been purchased by the Government for survey work along the Alaskan coast.

Medic. '79.—E. M. Wing, a prominent physician of North Anson, died recently at his home in North Anson. Dr. Wing was born in the town of Wayne, April 24, 1856, the son of Lewis M. and Lucretia A. (Foss) Wing. After obtaining his education, he taught for two years, studying medicine along with this work and later entered the Maine Medical School. He married Miss Laura Thompson of Livermore, Jan. 28, 1878, and one son was born to them, William E. of Portland. Mrs. Wing died Aug. 9, 1913. Dr. Wing located in North Anson in February, 1882, coming from North New Portland. He rapidly built up an extensive practice, and through the following years was the attending physician in this and surrounding towns. Having two brothers in Washington state, and desiring more of an office practice, without the hard rides over the country roads, he went in 1889 with his family to Tacoma, Wash., where he remained four years. In 1893 he returned to North Anson and resumed his practice. His superior knowledge of medicine, together with his large sympathies and tender consideration for all who sought his aid, created a constant demand for his services. He was often called out of town to consult in difficult cases. No patient was ever neglected or wronged when under his charge. His reputation as a physician and surgeon was not confined to this town or locality, and he was acknowledged to be one of the best practicing physicians in Maine. In the years of 1899 and 1900, he took post-graduate courses at Bellevue hospital, New York City.

On March 15, only three weeks before his death, he was united in marriage with Miss Nellie E. Porter of North Anson. Dr. Wing was a director of Somerset Hospital of Skowhegan, and

held the office of censor in the Maine Medical Association of which he had been a member for many years. He was a member of Northern Star Lodge of Masons of North Anson, De Molay Commandery of Skowhegan and Kora Temple of Lewiston. Besides his wife and son he leaves two brothers, Lory A. Wing and Dr. P. B. Wing, both of Tacoma, Wash., and one sister, Mrs. Celia H. Sturtevant of Dixfield.

'83.—Charles A. Corliss of Bath was appointed recently by Governor Curtis to succeed the late George W. Hunt as recorder of the Bath Municipal Court. For five years he was secretary of the old Street and Sewer Commission of Bath and a few weeks ago was elected a member of the Board of Highways and Sewers. He is secretary of the Bath Loan and Building Association. He has always been a Democrat, and is now serving his first term as a State representative.

'98.—At a recent meeting of the Hartford County Bar, Albert C. Eames of Hartford, Conn., was permitted to take the oath of admission to the bar, without the formality of an examination. Mr. Eames has practiced law in Massachusetts.

'98.—Thomas Littlefield Marble of Gorham, N. H., is the author of *Won by Wireless*, a comedy-drama presented by the senior class of Edward Little High School of Auburn on Thursday evening. It is interesting to note that Mr. Marble was graduated from the Auburn High School, the predecessor of the Edward Little High School, in the class of 1894.

'08.—Arthur L. Robinson was elected second lieutenant of 11th Co., C.A.C., which was organized in Portland recently.

'12.—Loring Pratt is now with the Edison Lamp Works of the General Electric Co. His address is 170 Washington St., Newark, N. J.

'13.—The announcement was made Saturday of the engagement of Miss Olive Holman Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Holman Melcher Barnes of Portland, to Chester Granville Abbott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis J. Abbott of Lynn, Mass. Mr. Abbott is now connected with the Portland office of the Maine Distributing Agency of the Hudson Automobile Company.

'14.—Herbert W. Ashby contributed to the *Salem Evening News* of March 22 an article on the causes, natural and artificial, of the large number of the unemployed.

'14.—Leo W. Pratt, until recently with Swift and Company in Portland, has been transferred to the Bangor branch.



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## HARVARD 8, BOWDOIN 0

Bowdoin lost the first game of its schedule to Harvard, 8 to 0, at Cambridge Tuesday. The Bowdoin pitchers performed effectively but lacked the needed support at crucial moments. Wild throwing characterized the playing of the Bowdoin infield, whereas the outfield played brilliantly, showing good ability at covering ground.

The Crimson started the game with Wilcox and Waterman for a battery, later changing to Whitney and Harte. Up to the fourth inning not a Bowdoin man passed second, and after that were retired in order. On the other hand, the Bowdoin pitchers, Stanley and Fraser, allowed only seven hits, several of which were scattering.

The summary:

HARVARD						
	ab	r	1b	po	a	e
Abbot, 2b	5	0	0	2	7	1
Reed, ss	2	0	0	0	1	0
Phillips, ss	1	1	0	0	1	0
Nash, 1b	2	2	1	13	0	0
Waterman, c	1	0	0	6	1	0
Harte, c	2	1	0	3	0	0
Gannett, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Mahan, cf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Brickley, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Hardwick, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Wilcox, p	2	0	1	0	0	0
Whitney, p	3	0	1	0	0	0
Fripp, 3b	3	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	32	8	7	27	11	1

BOWDOIN						
	ab	r	1b	po	a	e
Donnell, 2b	4	0	1	2	0	1
Phillips, lf	4	0	1	0	1	0
McElwee, ss	4	0	1	3	3	3
Goodskey, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Chapman, 3b	3	0	1	3	0	2
Eaton, 1b	3	0	0	7	0	1
Woodman, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Bradford, c	2	0	0	5	3	1
Stanley, p	2	0	0	0	5	0
Fraser, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	29	0	4	24	13	8

Harvard ..... 4 0 0 0 2 2 0 x—8  
Three base hit, Nash. Two base hits, Gannett,

Wilcox. Sacrifice hits, Nash, Waterman. Stolen bases, Frupp, Nash, Reed, Bradford. First base on balls, off Stanley, 3; off Fraser, 3; off Wilcox, 1. Hit by pitched ball, Nash by Fraser. Passed balls, Bradford 2. Struck out, by Wilcox 7; by Whitney, 3; by Stanley, 3; by Fraser, 1. Double plays, Reed to Abbot to Nash; Abbot unassisted to Nash. Time, 2 hours, 5 minutes. Umpire, Lincoln. Attendance, 300.

## BOWDOIN 7, PORTLAND (N. E. LEAGUE) 5

Bowdoin won her first victory of the season last Saturday afternoon at Portland when she defeated the Portland team of the New England League, 7 to 5. Fraser, who was in the box for the White, pitched fine ball and was supported excellently by his team mates. The outfield especially covered a great deal of territory, accepting ten chances without an error. The infield played in mid-season form, McElwee turning in one of the game's features when in the third inning, after making a fine one-hand catch, he doubled the man at first.

Portland jumped into the lead in the first inning when Burns tripled and came home on Sweatt's sacrifice fly. Bowdoin only allowed this score to stand until the third inning, when Bradford singled. Long was slow on Fraser's grounder, Dykes threw Donnell's grounder away from Dowell and Bowdoin scored two runs. From that time on the college team was always ahead.

Not content with the lead, Bowdoin added three more runs in the fourth. Chapman and Eaton got on the sacks by errors, and then with two men on bases, Woodman knocked the ball out for a three-bagger and scored himself on a wild pitch.

In the fifth, Portland by taking advantage of a pass, an error, a single and a passed ball, gathered two more tallies.

Bowdoin scored a run in both the eighth and ninth as did Portland. In the eighth Chapman singled, Woodman grounded out, Bradford doubled, and Chapman scored. In the ninth McElwee doubled and Goodskey quickly followed with another two-base hit, McElwee crossing the home plate.

For Portland Sweatt got to first on Chapman's wild throw. Dowell sent him to third with a dou-

ble and Sweatt scored on Long's sacrifice fly to left. In the ninth Fraser passed Cannon, and Williams, a pinch hitter, singled. Clemens grounded out, Burns flied out to left field and Sweatt scored Cannon with a double. The next two men were unable to do anything with Fraser's curves and the game ended with Bowdoin holding the long end of the score.

Duffy sent in many of his recruits at the first part of the game, but soon he was forced to replace them with veterans. Bowdoin kept the same line-up and showed a great improvement over her work against Harvard. In the hitting department McElwee showed up well for Bowdoin, while Cannon used the stick well for Portland. Goodskey made the feature play of the game when after a long run he picked off a fast liner close to the ground.

The score:

BOWDOIN						
	ab	r	1b	po	a	e
Donnell, 2b	5	0	1	1	0	1
Phillips, 1f	4	0	0	3	0	0
McElwee, ss	3	1	2	2	2	0
Goodskey, cf	5	0	1	5	0	0
Chapman, 3b	5	2	1	2	1	1
Eaton, 1b	4	1	0	8	0	0
Woodman, rf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Bradford, c	4	1	2	4	2	4
Fraser, p	4	1	0	0	2	0
Total	42	7	8	27	7	6

PORTLAND						
	ab	r	1b	po	a	e
Clements, 1f	4	0	0	3	0	0
Burns, cf	5	1	1	1	0	0
Sweatt, 2b	4	1	2	2	3	0
Dowell, 1b	5	0	1	13	0	0
Long, 3b	3	0	1	1	3	1
McVey, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bentley, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Dykes, ss	3	1	0	0	2	2
Barry, c	1	0	0	3	1	0
Cannon, c	2	2	2	2	0	0
Teel, p	1	0	0	0	3	1
Gurry, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
*Dwyer	1	0	0	0	0	0
**Williams	1	0	1	0	0	0
Total	35	5	8	27	13	4

Bowdoin ..... 0 0 2 3 0 0 0 1 1—7  
Portland ..... 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 1—5

\*—Batted for Teel in fifth.

\*\*—Batted for Gurry in ninth.

Two base hits, Sweatt, Dowell, Long, McElwee 2, Goodskey, Bradford. Three base hits,

Woodman, Burns. Sacrifice hits, Phillips. Sacrifice flies, Sweatt, Long. Stolen bases, Donnell, McElwee. Double play, McElwee and Eaton. First base on balls, by Teel, by Fraser 3. Hit by pitcher, McElwee by Teel. Struck out, by Teel, 2; by Gurry, 2; by Fraser, 3. Passed ball, Bradford. Wild pitch, Teel. Time, 1.43. Umpire, Higgins.

#### LEWISTON (N. E. LEAGUE) 10, BOWDOIN 3

Yesterday morning the Bowdoin team was forced to take the small end of the score, when it met the Lewiston team of the N. E. League, at Lewiston, losing 10 to 3.

In the second inning Klein replaced Peterson as the Lewiston pitcher and in the fifth Pendleton replaced Stanley. After the first inning or so the game resolved itself into a pitchers' battle. Pendleton in his first game for Bowdoin was especially effective, holding the Lewiston team to two hits and two runs.

Holmes batted well for Lewiston and Goodskey and Woodman wielded the stick for Bowdoin.

Bowdoin secured her first run when, in the first inning, with two men out, McElwee singled and Goodskey singled, scoring McElwee.

The other runs came in the sixth when Goodskey started off with a two-bagger, Chapman grounded out. Eaton doubled, Goodskey scoring. Woodman singled, scoring Eaton, but was put out at second. Another out and the inning was over.

LEWISTON						
	ab	r	1b	po	a	e
Estes, cf	5	2	1	1	2	0
Lang, ss	1	0	0	0	2	0
Thomas, ss	1	0	0	1	2	0
Lewis, c	4	1	1	6	4	0
Holmes, rf	4	2	3	1	0	0
McGovern, 1b	4	2	2	13	0	0
Kull, 2b	4	2	1	2	2	1
Patterson, 3b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Broadbreck, 3b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Oakley, 1f	3	1	0	1	0	0
Mahoney, 1f	1	0	0	0	0	0
Peterson, p	1	0	0	0	2	0
Klein, p	3	0	0	0	4	0

35 10 8 27 19 1

BOWDOIN						
	ab	r	1b	po	a	e
Phillips, 1f	4	0	0	1	0	0
Donnell, 2b	4	0	0	0	4	0
McElwee, ss	4	1	1	3	0	2
Goodskey, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Chapman, 3b	4	0	1	1	3	0

Eaton, lb	4	1	1	11	1	0
Woodman, rf	4	0	3	2	0	0
Bradford, c	4	0	1	5	0	0
Stanley, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Pendleton, p	1	0	0	0	4	0
*Kelley	1	0	0	0	0	0
	32	3	8	24	12	2

\*Kelley batted for Pendleton in the ninth.

Lewiston	4	0	3	1	1	0	1	0	x—10
Bowdoin	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—3

Three base hits, Estes, Holmes, Chapman. Two base hits, Kull 2, Klein, Goodsky 2, Eaton. Stolen bases, Estes, Holmes, Kull, Chapman. Bases on balls, off Stanley 1. Struck out, by Stanley 4, by Pendleton 1, by Klein 9. Time, 2 hours. Umpire, Carrigan.

#### COBURN 15, BOWDOIN 2ND 2

The speedy Coburn team, which recently defeated Colby 'varsity 13 to 8, continued its list of victories yesterday, defeating the Bowdoin 2nd team on Whittier Field, 15 to 2. The game was slow and one-sided, and after the first few innings was all one way. The feature of the game was the batting of Alberts of Coburn, who came through with two three-baggers and a home run over the left field fence. O'Brien and McElwee fielded brilliantly for the winners. For the second team, Wood and Larrabee played consistently well, and Merrill, pitching, showed occasional flashes of form. The score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	T
Coburn	1	0	1	1	4	1	0	3	4—15	
Bowdoin 2nd	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—2	

#### DUAL MEET WITH BATES SATURDAY

Bowdoin's first track contest of the season will be the Bates meet in Brunswick Saturday. Coach Magee is optimistic as to our possibilities of winning, and while no times have been given out, it is understood that good speed was made in a number of the events in last Saturday's interfraternity meet.

The list of entries, as definitely as it can be given out at present, is as follows:

100 yd. dash—Bowdoin: McWilliams, Hodgkins, Webber, Bond, Balfe, Pirnie, Simonton, C. Wyman, L. Wyman; Bates: Small, Butler, House, Hobbs, Donald, Fiske, Nash, Connors, Davis.

220 yd. dash—Bowdoin: Hodgkins, Ireland, Webber, Bond, Balfe, Pirnie, Simonton, C. Wyman, L. Wyman; Bates: Small, Butler, House, Hobbs, Fiske, Connors, Davis, Syrene, Clifford, Ballard.

440 yd. dash—Bowdoin: McWilliams, Stetson,

Bird, Ireland, Bond, Crosby, Humphrey, Gray, Simonton, L. Wyman; Bates: Connors, Mansfield, Syrene, W. Neville, Knight, Clifford, Boober, Boothby, Lawrence, Ballard.

880 yd. run—Bowdoin: McWilliams, Stetson, Sayward, Crosby, Fillmore, Humphrey, Gray, Hildreth, L. Wyman, O'Donnell; Bates: Mansfield, Adams, Snow, Carter, Syrene, DeWolfe, W. Doe, W. Neville, Pickard, Holmes, Knight.

Mile run—Bowdoin: Babcock, Crosby, Fillmore, Noyes, Gray, Hildreth, Cutler, Johnson, Bacon, Sayward; Bates: Mansfield, Adams, Snow, Carter, W. Doe, DeWolfe, W. Lane, Webber, Pickard, Holmes.

Two mile run—Bowdoin: Cutler, Bacon, Babcock, Crosby, Fillmore, Noyes; Bates: Doe, DeWolfe, W. Lane, Webber, Pickard, Holmes, Stettbacher, Swett, Sanford, Stimpson.

120 yd. hurdles—Bowdoin: Fuller, Smith, Webber, White, Savage, H. S. Young; Bates: Connors, Quimby, Boyd, Benvie, Coleman, Steady, Cummings, Stillman, Keaney, Stimson.

220 yd. hurdles—Bowdoin: Floyd, Fuller, Webber, Savage, H. S. Young; Bates: Connors, Humphrey, Boyd, Benvie, Coleman, Steady, Cummings, Stillman, Keaney, Stimson.

Broad jump—Bowdoin: Smith, Floyd, Wood, Sampson, Balfe, White, Rickard, Simonton, C. Wyman; Bates: Fiske, Boyd, Benvie, Steady, Keaney, Stimson, Fowler, Blanchard, Baker, Lane.

High jump—Bowdoin: Webber, Wood, White, Rickard, Fenning, Pirnie, Savage; Bates: Rollins, Quimby, Boyd, Keaney, Stimson, Pinkham, Gibbs, Spratt, Drew, Johnston.

Pole vault—Bowdoin: McKenney, Sampson, Smith, H. S. Young, Fenning, Ripley, Peacock; Bates: Tucker, Goodwin, Thayer.

Shot put—Bowdoin: Austin, B. Moulton, Leadbetter, Campbell, Colbath, Oliver, McConaughy, H. A. Young, Warren, Hanson; Bates: Butler, Quimby, Boyd, Stillman, Pinkham, Spratt, DeWever, Pedbereznak, Witham, Lord.

Hammer—Bowdoin: Austin, B. Moulton, Leadbetter, Campbell, Colbath, Oliver, McConaughy, H. A. Young, Warren, Hanson; Bates: Quimby, Stillman, Pinkham, DeWever, Doe, Ross, Bou-telle, Hall, Pedbereznak, Clifford.

Discus—Bowdoin: Austin, B. Moulton, Leadbetter, Campbell, Colbath, Oliver, McConaughy, H. A. Young, Warren, Hanson; Bates: Quimby, Boyd, Stimson, DeWever, Stillman, Pinkham, Witham, Doe.

The referee will be W. W. Bolster of Lewiston. Allan G. Ireland will be starter, and Koughan '15, clerk of course.

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## "Talking It Up"

The ORIENT prints in another column a letter from a group of alumni who saw the recent Bowdoin-Harvard game, and who were disgusted, they say, by the running fire of conversation which the Bowdoin team employed to support its pitchers. This form of encouragement will be found in nearly every baseball team, and it is doubtless true that it does in some measure aid the pitcher as well as instill life and enthusiasm into the other members of the team, but it is also true that such talk may be carried too far, that it may border upon cheap professionalism, that it may be offensive to spectators, and that it may distract the players' attention. If it is carried too far, then it should be dropped at once, or at least appreciably restricted.

Bowdoin teams have been proud to claim records of fairness and sportsmanship, and Bowdoin teams of the present are eager to maintain the reputation of the past. If Bowdoin has been guilty of employing this "chatter" to undue limits, then it rests with those in charge of baseball to set more reasonable limits. We join with these alumni in recommending the curtailment of vocal support given by the members of the team and feel confident that the captain and coach, or those in whose province it may lie, will give the matter a serious and just consideration.

## Courses Leading to the Law

We have received from a graduate, now a student at Boston University Law School, a letter regarding courses designed to train men for the law, and to give those who are considering the law an idea of the nature of the principles of the profession. Bowdoin has sent many of its graduates into the law, and some of them have achieved success far better than the average. This proposal to add such courses is surely worth the attention of the college.

We cannot agree with Mr. Locke, however, that courses of this sort are necessary for the embryonic lawyer or that the college curriculum as now constituted does not give undergraduates a liberal conception of law. The college offers courses in History and Economics which should and do give a general view of the nature of the law, while courses in Argumentation and Debating give opportunity for oral argument and practice in forensic construction. No theology is taught here; no medicine is taught here outside the Medical School of Maine, which has grown to be distinct from the academic department and which is open only to those who have entered seriously upon the study of medicine. In other words, the student of theology or medicine provides his foundation in college; he seeks the actual training for his profession in graduate school. Furthermore, it should be remembered that it is the province of the college to furnish that mental machinery which enables the individual to grasp and retain material taught in technical schools; it cannot be said that the college should give elementary courses for professional schools. The college should not make itself a kindergarten.

And finally, Mr. Locke mentions the fact that college graduates proceed to the study of the law ignorant of its technical details, such as the tort and the contract. What is the law school for but the study of these technicalities? They belong



distinctly to the law school. The medical student, at the beginning of his course, does not know the names of the bones or muscles, or how to treat a sprain or fracture. He goes to medical school to learn them, just as the law student goes to law school to learn the law.

If courses in law were to be included in the curriculum, or if courses leading up to the law were to be given in addition to those in History and Economics already mentioned, their chief value would come in another connection, which Mr. Locke mentions, but as a consideration of only minor importance. This is the worth of such courses to those who do not enter the law. While the average man may have a general knowledge of the law he has no conception of the details. An understanding of the validity of contracts would prove valuable to him. The Massachusetts Institute of Technology has a course in commercial law of marked advantage to its graduates, often parties to contracts. For the business man, then, a smattering of the law gained in college is worth while.

But the man who intends to make law his profession should provide a foundation in Economics and History and select a good law school where, under expert instruction, he can master the depths of his chosen work. If his inclination toward the law is but a whim, and if he has not taken advantage of what the college offers, then failure in law school can be laid at his own door. But if his intention is serious and if he does avail himself of his opportunities to secure an ample background along the lines previously mentioned, then he should be able to form a reasonable conception of the law, and to decide whether or not he is fitted for the profession.

#### INTERFRATERNITY BASEBALL

The following men have been chosen captains of the fraternity baseball teams: Alpha Delta Phi, Bamford '16; Beta Chi, Hone '17; Bowdoin Club, Coombs '15; Beta Theta Pi, Cooley '15; Delta Kappa Epsilon, Balfe, special; Delta Upsilon, Grierson '16; Kappa Sigma, Somers '15; Theta Delta Chi, Wood '16; Psi Upsilon, Keene '17; and Zeta Psi, Kuhn '15.

#### DELTA Upsilon 14, BOWDOIN CLUB 2

The interfraternity baseball season opened last Friday with a decisive defeat of the Bowdoin Club by Delta Upsilon, 14-2. The game was played in a drizzling rain which made fast work difficult, and the contest only went five innings. For D. U. the whole team played well together, the battery, Grierson and Peacock, working exceptionally well. For the Bowdoin Club,

Schwartz fielded a pretty game, while Larrabee batted well.

The score:

	1	2	3	4	5	T
D. U. ....	1	3	3	1	6	14
B. C. ....	2	0	0	0	0	2

Batteries—Grierson and Peacock; H. Thomas and Fenning. Umpire, Holt.

#### MEMORIAL HALL, WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Final arrangements are complete for the Spring Rally tomorrow night in Memorial Hall. This is probably the last of the rallies and it is especially important that all the fellows attend, for it marks the final send-off for all spring sports. Those who will speak are Dr. Whittier, Dean Sills, Coach Coogan and McKenney '15. The entertainment will consist of music by the College Band, Quintet, and Mandolin Club, and a skit by Biggers '17. The refreshments will be there in quantity and quality. Let everybody come out and give baseball, track and tennis a big start.

#### BRUNSWICK DRAMATIC

##### CLUB PERFORMANCE

Thursday evening, April 22, at the Cumberland Theatre, the Brunswick Dramatic Club will give its first open performance of the year, presenting the three-act comedy, "Green Stockings." Professor Files has been coaching the players. Professors Files and Bell, Mr. Langley, Mr. Furbish, Little '16 and Scott '18 are members of the cast.

#### BAND GIVES CONCERT ON CAMPUS

Wednesday evening the Bowdoin College Band gave its first concert from the band stand under the Thorndike Oak. For an hour, from seven to eight, the band entertained delightfully the small crowd that gathered. It is hoped with warmer weather to continue these concerts which will undoubtedly prove popular among the students and faculty.

### Communications

SHOULD ALL THE TEAM BE TALKING ALL THE TIME?

*Editor of the Bowdoin Orient:*

As the spokesman for half a dozen Bowdoin graduates who watched with interest the Bowdoin-Harvard game at Cambridge, may I have a little space in your columns?

It was not hard to overlook the occasional looseness and lapses of the Bowdoin nine in the field and at the bat, for the first game is hardly

the time to expect perfect work even when we have the wonderful Hyde Athletic Building in which to develop the nine. For that matter, the game showed that we have the material for a splendid team when Coach Coogan shakes it into shape and steadies it down. But why, O why, was it thought necessary or desirable to mar the game by the incessant, meaningless, futile chatter that our men indulged in when in the field? Why "talk it up" every minute, even at the expense of failing to keep eyes and mind on the game? Why keep up a practice that savors only of cheap professionalism and not at all of clean, amateur sport?

When our team took the field for the first time and seven or eight of the nine men broke out in that inane cackling of "That er boy!" "Make him hit!" "You're in!" "We've got him for you!" and a score of similar exclamations mingled together and repeated over and over numberless times—when this happened there was a ripple of amusement and a grunt of disgust throughout the crowd in the grandstand. Said a gentleman behind us to the lady with him, "Yes, some of the teams from the little colleges keep up that sort of thing, but the university teams are all dropping it. It is not much above muckerism and it serves no purpose—though I suppose they think it does." And we had to writhe in silence, knowing that he told the truth.

At first it was somewhat amusing; then it got tiresome, and finally maddening. It sounded like a crow convention, or a flock of hysterical hens or a chorus of frogs in a swamp—anything but a group of college men in an athletic contest. But aside from the effect on the spectators, which of course is not the main thing in a baseball game, did all the confusing and meaningless running fire of comment and advice help the players? Somebody suggested that perhaps it was designed to steady the pitcher and assure him that the team was properly behind him. But of all the men who faced Harvard the Freshman pitcher was obviously the one least in need of steadying. He pitched exceedingly well in the face of disheartening support. And part of the poor support, so it certainly seemed to the spectators, was due to the fact that his fellow players were so busy giving him unnecessary advice and encouragement that they neglected their own duties. One baseman, who talked steadily, was twice caught napping when the ball was snapped to him and on both occasions runs followed. In all the confusion it was impossible for anybody on the field to hear the commands of the captain or other player in authority. There was no such trouble when

the Harvard nine was in the field, for there was no talking then except by the man who had something to say.

Other university and college teams, like Harvard, are giving up the continual chatter as a part of baseball. In fact, there is nothing in the big league games on any such a scale of volume and continuousness. It is something apart from legitimate coaching or the giving of necessary commands and advice. It does not bother opponents. It cannot help the team that indulges in it. If all the other Maine college teams do it, so much better Bowdoin's opportunity to set the right example and do the right thing as it often has before.

OLD PLAYER.

BOSTON UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL

Boston, Mass., April 14, 1915.

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

Although the present day emphasis is upon the production of the useful citizen through a liberal education it is a recognized function of the college to provide preliminary training for its students who contemplate the study of the professions, as the term is popularly employed.

Bowdoin graduates each year a considerable number of men who enter the professions. To the prospective physician courses in Comparative Anatomy, Embryology, Organic and Physiological Chemistry are offered; for the divine in the making there are given courses in Philosophy, Psychology and Biblical Literature; the would-be teacher finds special training in the course in Education; the sometime civil, mechanical, electrical or chemical engineer turns to the advanced courses in Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics before going to the school of technology. What does Bowdoin offer to the student who proposes sometime to wield the power of making, interpreting and unmaking our laws, the man who intends to study law? Not a course which can give him even the history or meaning of the subject of the profession, let alone particular preliminary training for its study.

What is the result? Brilliant and serious-minded men go out from Bowdoin to the study of law without having obtained from the college a conception of what it really is that they are about to study and, consequently, without having had opportunity to judge if they are fitted and without having had the essential preliminary study if they are fitted. They proceed to the study of the law, many not knowing a tort from a contract, confident from success in public speaking and debating which seems to them to foretell aptitude in

that unknown, the Law, and encouraged in that unfortunate delusion by the college. These men I divide into three classes. There is the man who takes office training before going to law school. He doesn't find whether he is suitable for the law but he does find if the law is suitable to him, and whatever his conclusion is in that respect he hesitates to turn back. Then there is the man who goes directly to law school and happily is by mind and temperament fitted for the law. He escapes the danger of an ill chosen profession but he suffers from the lack of training. The law school plunges the man into absorbing work, assuming that the college has performed its duty in providing a background. The third man is martyr to the college. He goes directly to law school with a good brain, serious purpose, confidence and ambition. Unhappily he is not fitted by mind and temperament for the law. He falls in law school, dazed by his failure, or he overcomes his handicap in a measure and makes a mediocre and unsatisfied lawyer.

What is the remedy? The addition to Bowdoin's curriculum of courses designed to give the student an idea of the source, history and practice of the law. The selection of the concrete courses is an easy matter once the principle is recognized. Courses in Jurisprudence, Blackstone, Constitutional Law, and Practice similar to those now given in other colleges are suggested. These courses would serve two purposes. They would tell the student what the profession really is and give him opportunity to test himself in the study of its principles, thereby obviating the danger of an ill-chosen profession. They would give him in addition the training in the fundamentals of the law that will enable him to take up the work in law school understandingly.

Precedents are wanted of course. Many of the better colleges give such courses, among them Middlebury and Dartmouth. The universities offer them. I have not taken time to compile statistics on this point but I will do so and forward them.

An objection that such courses are of use only to a comparatively small number of men is not valid. Is a general idea of the history, principles and modern operation of the law of less value to the general student than a course in Embryology or Integral Calculus?

The innovation would not involve undue expense. Two lawyers, the one typifying the student and scholar, the other emphasizing the practical practitioner could handle the work in ideal manner. One lawyer could do it.

The need of these courses has been vividly im-

pressed upon me by the observation of Bowdoin men in law school and of men who have enjoyed the advantages of such courses in other colleges, as well as in part by my own experience. I do not expect the immediate sympathy and understanding of those who have not gone through the mill. The purpose of this letter is accomplished if I have in some degree brought to the serious consideration of undergraduates, alumni and faculty the need of such courses and the duty of Bowdoin to offer them.

Yours truly,

HERBERT E. LOCKE,  
Class of 1912.

### With the Faculty

Professor Brown took part in "Kitty Mackay," presented by the Portland Players last week at the Jefferson Theatre in Portland.

Mr. Wilder will represent Bowdoin at the annual meeting of the New England College Librarians to be held at Trinity College, April 23-24.

Mr. Joseph Davis, instructor in Economics at Bowdoin during the college year 1912-13, is spending the spring vacation with his brother, Professor William H. Davis. Mr. Davis is now on the Harvard University faculty.

Last Friday Mr. Langley was a judge in a debate between Rumford Falls High School and Maine Central Institute. This debate was one of the finals in the Bates Debating League.

### On the Campus

Preston '17 left college Tuesday on account of illness.

The "hang-over" scholarships were granted last week.

The Freshman class squad had its picture taken last week.

Hyde '08 and Sanford '11 were *on the campus* last week.

Shorey '04 and Hagar '13 were *on the campus* last week.

E. W. Freeman, Esq., '85 was a visitor at college Sunday.

MacCormick '15 spoke at the Augusta Y. M. C. A. Sunday.

April 21 has been set as the last day for paying semester bills.

The Delta Upsilon fraternity will hold its annual house party May 7 and 8.

Derby '18 and Stearns '18 have withdrawn from the cast of "As You Like It."

"Major" Slocum '13 attended the Theta Delta



Chi banquet, Portland, Friday night.

Senior canes appeared last Wednesday. Caps and gowns next—and then diplomas.

Purinton '12 who is specializing in physics at Harvard was *on the campus* Friday.

Juniors are requested to pay their Ivy dues before May 15 to the members of the Ivy Committee.

The campus flags were at half-mast Thursday for the 50th anniversary of Lincoln's assassination.

The tennis courts *about the campus* have been undergoing their annual renovation the past week.

Joyce '18 and Matthews '18 have reported as candidates for assistant manager of the Bowdoin Publishing Co.

The first Beta Chi pledge buttons appeared last week. The buttons are of a shield shape in black, white and gold.

Gibson '11, who is a medic at Harvard, was *on the campus* Friday. Gibson is on his way to San Francisco to bring back a bride.

Call '18 is the only candidate as yet for assistant manager of the Masque and Gown, and Derby '18 is a candidate for property man.

Twenty major and 61 minor warnings were given out Tuesday. There will be a final review of classes for first year men on May 3.

Tickets for the Bates meet go on sale in the managers' room from 1.30 to 3.30 this afternoon. The Blanket Tax covers the admission. Each man will be allowed any number of tickets.

Portland High School and Edward Little High School will debate here Friday for the championship of their division in the Bowdoin Interscholastic League. Keegan '15 and Hescock '16 are coaching the respective teams.

The Theta Delta Chi Association of Western Maine held its third annual banquet at the Congress Square Hotel in Portland, Friday evening. About 25 were present, the majority being Bowdoin men. Leon V. Walker '03 was reelected president, and Leon H. Smith, vice-president of the association. Livingstone '15, Stearns '18 and Albion '18 represented Eta Charge.

A religious census of the members of the Freshman class shows that 64 of the 136 are church members, 62 have denominational preference and 10 others have no choice. Of the denominations represented, the Congregationalists stand first with 41; Baptists and Episcopalians, 16 each; Methodists, 15; Universalists, 10; Catholics, 9; Presbyterians, 6; and other denominations, 13. Seven are ministers' sons.

## CALENDAR

- April
- 20. A. D's. vs. Betas.
  - 21. Spring Rally.  
T. D's. vs. B. X's.
  - 22. Psi U's. vs. Dekes.  
Brunswick Dramatic Club at the Cumberland.
  - 23. Trinity at Hartford.
  - 24. Dual Meet with Bates at Brunswick.  
Wesleyan at Middletown.
  - 27. Zetes vs. A. D's.
  - 28. Hebron vs. Bowdoin 2nd at Hebron.
  - 30. D. U's. vs. B. X's.  
Beta Theta Pi, Kappa Sigma, Theta Delta Chi house parties.
- May
- 1. Maine at Brunswick.

## Alumni Department

Ex-'85.—Alanson M. Phelps, a former member of the Melrose Board of Aldermen, and for many years a practicing attorney in Boston, died April 13 at his home in Melrose, Massachusetts, aged fifty-one years. Death was from heart trouble. Mr. Phelps was born in Dedham, Maine, and attended Bowdoin and Williams Colleges. After practicing law for a few years in Ellsworth, Maine, he went to Boston as manager of a typewriter business. Later, he returned to the practice of law in Boston, and had since continued in it. He was a member of the Boston City Club, the Wyoming Lodge of Masons, and the Melrose Highlands Club. Of the last he was once president. His wife and one son survive him.

Medic. '63.—Dr. Benjamin F. Sturgis, for many years a leader among the physicians of Androscoggin County, died March 31 at his home in Auburn, Maine. Dr. Sturgis was born in Gorham Oct. 28, 1837. He attended Maine State Seminary, Harvard University and the Maine Medical School. He was an assistant surgeon in the 19th Maine during the Civil War. After the war he located at New Gloucester, coming to Auburn in October, 1867. He has been president of the Androscoggin Medical Association and surgeon on the staff of the Central Maine General Hospital. In 1874 and 1875, and again in 1913, he was a member of the Maine legislature, and in 1876-77, a member of the State Senate. In 1884 and 1885 he was Mayor of Auburn. He was a director of the National Shoe and Leather Bank. He has been a United States pension examiner from 1869 to his death, with the exception of four years. He was a Mason and has served as trustee of the



### Auburn Home for Aged Women.

In 1859 Dr. Sturgis married Mary Ellen Hammond of New Gloucester. They had three children, of whom Alfred Sturgis of Portland survives. In 1870 Dr. Sturgis married Priscilla Jane Brooks of Lewiston, who died in 1904. Three sons, Dr. John Sturgis of Auburn, Dr. B. F. Sturgis, Jr., of Salem, Mass., and Dr. Carl B. Sturgis of Augusta survive; also three brothers, John I. Sturgis of New Gloucester, William P. Sturgis of Brooklyn, N. Y., and James E. Sturgis of Wichita, Kan.

'03.—Harrie L. Webber has been reappointed judge of the Auburn Municipal Court.

'08.—Arthur H. Ham, director of the Loan Division of Russell Sage Foundation, New York, has issued the report of the year's work of the National Federation of Remedial Loan Associations. Mr. Ham is chairman of the Legislation Committee of this association by whose agency 36 societies have been formed in various cities to meet the needs of the small borrower. "Interest has been aroused in nearly every state and even in Melbourne, a society modelled on ours is in successful operation." Robie R. Stevens '06 is manager of the New York Chattel Loan Society.

'11.—Philip H. Hansen of St. Paul, Minn., was married April 7 to Miss Emma May Denny of Philadelphia.

'12.—The second annual report of the class of 1912, issued April 15 by William A. MacCormick, the class secretary, shows the members to be engaged in the following pursuits: business, 42; graduate work, 22; medicine, 9; law, 8; science, 2; theology, 1; history, 1; teaching, 16; law practice, 3; ministry, 3; Y. M. C. A. work, 1; private secretary, 1; newspaper work, 1; farming, 3. The men are located in the following states: Maine, 44; Massachusetts, 26; New York, 5; New Hampshire, 2; Vermont, 2; Connecticut, 2; Maryland, 2; Texas, 2; Michigan, South Dakota, Pennsylvania, Washington, Alabama, Louisiana, Minnesota, Rhode Island and Panama, 1 each.

'13.—Stanley F. Dole is treasurer of the firm of Dole and Lewis, manufacturing confectioners, at Chelsea, Mass.

'14.—Herbert W. Ashby is writing for the Salem (Massachusetts) *Evening News* under the heading of "The Man About Town."

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## BOWDOIN WINS MEET WITH BATES

Bowdoin walked away from Bates in the dual meet held on Whittier Field, Saturday, scoring 82 points to the Garnet's 44. Bowdoin's strength was the field events, while the visitors showed up well in the dashes. The chilly weather was not favorable for record breaking although Burleigh Moulton bettered the state record of 126 feet in the discus by one and three-quarters inches.

Bowdoin captured the quarter and the two mile, while the half and the mile went to Bates. Savage '18 won both hurdle events. McWilliams '15 made a splendid spurt in the quarter and broke the tape just ahead of Crosby '17. In the two mile, Irving commenced his spurt in the seventh lap instead of the eighth, but managed to finish just ahead of Lane, the leading Bates runner. Cutler landed third in the two mile after a pretty race.

Coach Magee's men outclassed the Bates men in nearly everything but the dashes, where Small and Butler starred. Bates won but a second and a third in all the field events.

Leadbetter was the highest point winner of the meet, with first place in the hammer throw and shot put and second in the discus. Savage was second, winning the 120 yard and 220 yard hurdles.

100-Yard Dash—Trials: First heat won by C. E. Wyman, Bowdoin; second, Butler, Bates. Time, 10 3-5 seconds. Second heat won by Small, Bates; second, Balfe, Bowdoin. Time, 10 2-5 seconds. Final heat won by Butler, Bates; second, tie between C. E. Wyman, Bowdoin, and Small, Bates. Time, 10 2-5 seconds.

220-Yard Dash—Trials: First heat won by Butler, Bates; second, Pirnie, Bowdoin. Time, 24 seconds. Second heat won by Small, Bates; second, Balfe, Bowdoin. Time, 24 seconds. Final heat won by Small, Bates; second, Butler, Bates; third, Pirnie, Bowdoin. Time, 23 2-5 seconds.

440-Yard Dash—Won by McWilliams, Bowdoin; second, Crosby, Bowdoin; third, Connors, Bates. Time, 54 seconds.

880-Yard Run—Won by Mansfield, Bates; second, Sayward, Bowdoin; third, A. B. Stetson, Bowdoin. Time, 2 minutes, 5 1-5 seconds.

One Mile Run—Won by W. Lane, Bates; sec-

ond, Cutler, Bowdoin; third, Fillmore, Bowdoin. Time, 4 minutes, 40 4-5 seconds.

Two Mile Run—Won by Irving, Bowdoin; second, W. Lane, Bates; third, Cutler, Bowdoin. Time, 10 minutes, 14 3-5 seconds.

120-Yard Hurdles—Trials: First heat won by Savage, Bowdoin; second, Coleman, Bates. Time, 17 1-5 seconds. Second heat won by Boyd, Bates; second, Webber, Bowdoin. Time, 18 1-5 seconds. Final heat won by Savage, Bowdoin; second, Webber, Bowdoin; third, Boyd, Bates. Time, 17 seconds.

220-Yard Hurdles—Trials: First heat, tie between Quimby, Bates, and Webber, Bowdoin. Time, 28 2-5 seconds. Second heat won by Savage, Bowdoin; second, Boyd, Bates. Time, 29 seconds. Final heat won by Savage, Bowdoin; second, Quimby, Bates; third, Webber, Bowdoin. Time, 26 2-5 seconds.

High Jump—Won by Wood, Bowdoin, 5 feet, 6 3-4 inches; second, White, Bowdoin, 5 feet, 5 3-4 inches; third, tie among Stinson, Pinkham and Gibbs, all of Bates, 5 feet, 4 3-4 inches.

Broad Jump—Won by Keaney, Bates, 21 feet, 4 3-4 inches; second, Smith, Bowdoin, 21 feet, 1 inch; third, Floyd, Bowdoin, 20 feet, 6 1-4 inches.

Pole Vault—First place tie between McKenney, Bowdoin, and Sampson, Bowdoin, 10 feet, 3 inches; third, Drew, Bates, 9 feet, 9 inches.

Shot Put—Won by Leadbetter, Bowdoin, 38 feet, 8 5-8 inches; second, DeWever, Bates, 38 feet, 3 3-4 inches; third, J. B. Moulton, Bowdoin, 32 feet, 1 3-4 inches.

Hammer Throw—Won by Leadbetter, Bowdoin, 137 feet, 11 1-2 inches; second, Colbath, Bowdoin, 113 feet, 9 inches; third, J. B. Moulton, Bowdoin, 102 feet, 1 3-4 inches.

Discus Throw—Won by J. B. Moulton, Bowdoin, 126 feet, 1 3-4 inches; second, Leadbetter, Bowdoin, 119 feet; third, Quimby, Bates, 109 feet, 9 3-4 inches.

## TRINITY 1, BOWDOIN 0

In a gruelling 13-inning contest Bowdoin lost to Trinity Friday afternoon, 1-0. The game was well-played and full of exciting situations. Both Fraser and Baker were well supported, Fraser

showing a good deal of ability in the pinches. In the eleventh, with the bases filled, he struck out two batters and saved a score. Up to the 11th inning only two hits were secured on his delivery. Bowdoin had frequent opportunities to score, but inability to combine hits off Baker prevented the necessary run.

The unfortunate break came in the thirteenth. Murray, batting first for Trinity, hit a two-bagger. Pendleton was sent in to pitch, but a scratch hit and an error filled the bases with no one out. Pendleton then sent a low, wide shoot, which got away from Bradford, and Murray scored.

Donnell batted well for Bowdoin, while in the field McElwee and Eaton played well. Denning at the bat and Shelley in the field, starred for Trinity. Fraser and Baker both pitched good ball.

The score:

BOWDOIN						
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Phillips, lf .....	6	0	0	1	0	0
Donnell, 2b .....	6	0	2	2	2	0
McElwee, cf .....	4	0	0	4	4	1
Goodskey, ss .....	5	0	0	3	0	0
Chapman, 3b .....	5	0	1	2	2	0
Eaton, 1b .....	4	0	1	13	0	1
Woodman, rf .....	5	0	1	1	0	0
Bradford, c .....	4	0	0	10	1	0
Fraser, p .....	5	0	0	0	2	1
Pendleton, p .....	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals .....	44	0	5	36	11	3
TRINITY						
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Murray, ss .....	6	1	1	4	0	0
McKay, 2b .....	6	0	2	1	6	0
Gillooly, 3b .....	5	0	1	1	4	1
Carpenter, c .....	1	0	0	1	0	0
Denning, cf .....	5	0	2	1	0	0
Lambert, rf .....	5	0	0	2	0	0
Brand, lf .....	4	0	1	2	0	0
Shelley, 1b .....	3	0	0	16	0	0
Baker, p .....	5	0	0	1	4	1
Wooley, c .....	4	0	0	10	1	0
*Schmidt .....	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals .....	44	1	7	39	15	2

\*Batted for Wooley in 13th inning.

Innings:

Trinity ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1

Run made by Murray. Two base hit, Murray. Stolen bases, Bradford, Donnell, Woodman, Lambert, Gillooly, McKay. Base on balls, by Fraser 4, by Baker. Struck out, by Fraser 10, by Baker 10. Sacrifice hit, Eaton. Hit by pitched

ball, McElwee. Wild pitch, Pendleton. Time, 2h., 20m. Umpire, McCarthy.

### WESLEYAN 5, BOWDOIN 3

On Saturday Bowdoin was defeated by the strong Wesleyan team at Middletown, 5 to 3. For six innings the Connecticut team held the Bowdoin nine scoreless, while they scored four runs. In the seventh inning the Bowdoin team rallied and helped by the errors of the Wesleyan infield, scored twice. Goodskey and McElwee were the men to bring in these runs. In the eighth, McElwee scored again and things were looking towards a Bowdoin victory when Lanning, Wesleyan's pitcher, saved the day for the home team by knocking out a home run. The fielding of both teams was loose at times. Pendleton pitched well for seven innings and Stanley finished the game. In the fourth inning Wesleyan was retired on three pitched balls. Lanning starred for Wesleyan, making three of their hits and scoring three runs.

The score:

WESLEYAN						
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Lanning, p .....	4	3	3	0	3	0
C. Stanley, cf .....	3	1	0	1	0	0
Beeman, 3b .....	3	0	1	0	1	0
Kenan, lf .....	4	1	1	2	0	0
Stookey, rf .....	4	0	1	2	0	0
Markthaler, 1b ...	3	0	0	7	0	2
Chapin, c .....	4	0	0	13	1	0
Becker, ss .....	3	0	1	2	0	2
Harmon, 2b .....	3	0	0	0	4	1
Totals .....	31	5	7	27	9	5
BOWDOIN						
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Phillips, lf .....	4	0	0	1	0	0
Donnell, 2b .....	3	0	0	1	3	3
McElwee, ss .....	3	2	0	1	1	0
Goodskey, cf .....	4	1	1	2	0	0
Chapman, 3b .....	3	0	1	2	0	2
Eaton, 1b .....	4	0	2	9	1	0
Woodman, rf .....	4	0	0	2	0	0
Bradford, c .....	4	0	1	5	1	1
Pendleton, p .....	2	0	0	1	4	0
E. Stanley, p .....	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals .....	32	3	5	24	10	6

Innings:

Wesleyan ..... 1 1 0 0 2 0 0 1 x—5

Bowdoin ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 0—3

Home run, Lanning. Sacrifice hits, Beeman, E. Stanley. Stolen bases, Becker, Lanning, McElwee 2, Goodskey. First on balls, off Lanning



1, off E. Stanley 1. Struck out, by Lanning 12, by Pendleton 3, by Stanley 1. Time, 1:40. Umpire, McCarthy.

### INTERFRATERNITY BASEBALL

#### BETA THETA PI 7, ALPHA DELTA PHI 6

In a close and well-played game Beta Theta Pi defeated Alpha Delta Phi in the second game of the interfraternity baseball series. The A. D.'s. managed to score two runs in their half of the first inning, but the Betas overcame this lead quickly, scoring three runs. From that time on the Betas kept ahead, although the A. D.'s. almost managed to bring home a victory when they made two runs in the last inning. But with the score tied the Betas hit hard and brought across the necessary run. The score:

	1	2	3	4	5	T
A. D.'s. ....	2	0	2	0	2	—6
Betas .....	3	2	1	0	1	—7

Batteries—Woodman '16 and Robie '16; C. Brown '15 and Coyne '18. Umpire, Keene '17.

#### THETA DELTA CHI 19, BETA CHI 18

Early Wednesday morning Theta Delta Chi beat Beta Chi by the score of 19 to 18. Owing to the chilly air, skilful handling of the ball was difficult, many errors resulting. The T. D.'s. were able to secure the lead, which they held during the entire game. Wood of the T. D. team turned in some fine plays, while Howard shone for the B. X's. The score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	T
T. D.'s. ....	2	6	1	3	4	1	—	19
B. X's. ....	1	1	2	7	1	1	—	18

Batteries—Beal '16 and B. Campbell '17; Curran '18, Gordon '18 and Grant '18. Umpire, Nute '17.

#### PSI Upsilon 8, DELTA KAPPA EPSILON 7

The fraternity baseball game between Psi Upsilon and Delta Kappa Epsilon was not won until the last inning when Wing of the Psi U. team knocked out a three-base hit with three men on the bags. That hit ended what had proved one of the most interesting and best played games of the series. Coxé pitched a fine game for the Dekes, while Wing showed up well at both the bat and in the field. The score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	T
Psi U's. ....	0	0	4	0	0	0	—	4—8
Dekes .....	1	0	0	0	4	0	—	2—7

Batteries—Boardman '16 and Keene '17; Coxé '15 and Shumway '17. Umpire, Stanwood.

#### BOWDOIN CLUB 18, KAPPA SIGMA 16

In a game marked by free hitting and loose fielding the Bowdoin Club defeated the Kappa

Sigs Friday afternoon, 18 to 16. The winners were in no way threatened except in the seventh when the Kappa Sigs began a desperate last inning's rally, scoring seven runs by heavy hitting. The game was featureless except for the all-round playing of Fenning for the Bowdoin Club and R. Campbell for Kappa Sigma. The score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	T
B. C. ....	6	2	0	3	5	2	0	—18
K. S. ....	2	2	3	0	0	2	7	—16

Batteries—Thomas '16, Larrabee '16 and Fenning '17; Hight '16, Somers '15 and Floyd '15. Umpires, Leadbetter '16 and Carl, Medic '18.

### FRATERNITY BASEBALL LEAGUE STANDING

#### Division A

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Beta Theta Pi. ....	1	0	1.000
Psi Upsilon .....	1	0	1.000
Delta Kappa Epsilon. ....	0	1	.000
Alpha Delta Phi. ....	0	1	.000
Zeta Psi—No game			

#### Division B

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Delta Upsilon .....	1	0	1.000
Theta Delta Chi. ....	1	0	1.000
Bowdoin Club .....	1	1	.500
Kappa Sigma .....	0	1	.000
Beta Chi .....	0	1	.000

### THE SPRING RALLY

The annual spring rally held Wednesday evening was a marked success. MacCormick '15 presided, introducing the following speakers: Captain McKenney '15 of the track team, George E. Fogg '02, Doctor Whittier, Dean Sills, Coach Coogan of the baseball team and Coach Campbell of next year's football team. The speakers all seemed to have every faith that Bowdoin would regain her foothold in athletics and put an end to the slump of the last few years.

The band was at its best, and a quintet from the Mandolin Club, composed of Hall '15, Demmons '15, Perkins '15, Kelley '16 and Parmenter '17, played several selections. This was followed by a quartet consisting of West '15, Fuller '16, Hazeltine '17 and J. A. Thomas '18. Biggers '17 and MacDonald '18 appeared in an original skit, "Lay Down Your Canes." Refreshments consisting of ice cream cones, fancy crackers and cigars were served to the satisfaction of all. Fuller '16 led the cheering during the evening.

The rally, on the whole, was the best in several years, and it was very well attended. The committee in charge consisted of McWilliams '15, Eaton '15 and Elwell '15.

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### Ringing the Bell

A time-honored means of celebrating a victory, and practically the only means of announcing a victory away from home, has been the ringing of the chapel bell. The ringing of the bell last Saturday night could mean only one thing to those who heard it,—that the baseball team had defeated Wesleyan. On the other hand it was Bowdoin that was defeated. Care should be taken in the future to avoid the acceptance of rumor as truth and the ringing of the bell when we have no accurate information as to the result of the game. A few such instances might create a situation of wolf when there is no wolf.

### Use of the Training Quarters

At nearly every track meet at Bowdoin within

the past two or three years, whether the meet has been interscholastic, interclass or intercollegiate, many students who have no business there have made a practice of gathering in the dressing and rubbing rooms, or of dropping in, for only a minute, perhaps, to see if the men are fully equipped for participation in the meet. However good the intentions of these men are, their presence adds only to the confusion and excitement attendant upon a track meet. In baseball, the players' bench and the press bench are similarly afflicted. Those in charge of meets and games should exclude those who have no business in the locker rooms, even if it requires a specially appointed assistant manager or an able-bodied policeman.

### Baseball in Practice

When Coach Coogan said at the Spring Rally that the baseball team lacked the fight necessary to a championship team he was voicing the opinion of many who have seen the team in practice. We do not say that the team lacks fight or does not work hard in a game, but we do say, and we think that all will agree with us who have watched practice for even a brief time, that fight is woefully lacking, and that the players accept practice more as a matter of course than as a means of bettering the team and its chances of success. And by fight we do not mean the stream of conversation criticised last week by a group of alumni, but the acceptance of hard work as a serious matter and the willingness to make the most of it. If the team is to work hard in its games it must work hard in practice. If we are to have practice it should be faithful.

When a man makes an error he laughs, and is laughed at by the other men. A laugh following an error may be necessary to cover the supposedly ensuing disappointment and chagrin, but we doubt it. On most teams, even in practice, a laugh after an error would mean a call to the bench. Discipline is as necessary in practice as in the actual contest and its enforcement in practice will make easier its enforcement during a game.

It may be that the members of the team are not forced to compete for their places, that their superior ability insures their positions. If this is so, their attitude is easily communicated to the lesser lights whose ambition is dimmed in consequence. In this case discipline alone can bring the team to its most efficient point.

Within a week the state series begins, a series longer and harder than that of previous years. Four out of the first five games have been lost. Something is lacking. Coach Coogan was correct; it is the fight.

### TENNIS SCHEDULE

Manager Woodman announces the following schedule for tennis:

May 8—Portland Country Club at Portland.

May 13—Tufts at Medford.

May 14—Massachusetts Institute of Technology at Cambridge.

May 14 and 15—Bowdoin Interscholastic matches at Brunswick.

May 17, 18 and 19—New England matches at Longwood.

May 24, 25 and 26—Maine Intercollegiate matches at Brunswick.

### N. E. ORATORICAL TRIALS

Last Thursday afternoon in the debating room at Hubbard Hall seven Seniors competed to represent Bowdoin in the New England Oratorical League contest. President Hyde, and Professors Mitchell and Davis were the judges. Bacon, Coffin, Livingston, MacCormick, I. Merrill, Ramsay and Talbot spoke. Ramsay was picked as principal, and MacCormick as alternate.

The contest is to take place at Amherst this year on May 6.

### INTERSCHOLASTIC DEBATE FINALS

The final contests in the Bowdoin Interscholastic Debating League were held in the debating room at Hubbard Hall Friday. In the afternoon, Brunswick High won from Westbrook High and thereby gained the championship in League B. Edward Little High of Auburn was unanimously declared the winner by the judges in the debate with Portland High Friday evening. The title in League A accordingly goes to Edward Little High.

### MINNESOTA ALUMNI MEET

On Saturday evening, April 10, the Bowdoin alumni in Minneapolis and St. Paul held a banquet at which twelve of nineteen alumni of the Twin Cities were present. Greetings from President Hyde were read and cordially received. After the dinner, slides, sent by the college, were shown and exclamations of surprise and pride at the present condition of the college. Yarns were related and memories of the past were called up so that altogether the evening and banquet were voted a success.

### A LETTER FROM HIWALE

The following is an abstract from the letter of one of Bowdoin's most true and loyal graduates, one who every day is forced to bring into his work that "Bowdoin spirit" which he acquired

while an undergraduate here. Mr. Anand S. Hiwale '09 is doing a wonderful work and one in which every Bowdoin man should be interested.

"Satara, India,

"March 15, 1915.

"My dear Mr. McConaughy,

"This week India is celebrating her annual festival 'Shunaja.' Within these five days men and boys of all ages are at liberty to abuse anyone they choose and they throw dirt and colored water at each other. To hear from all directions the worst possible abuses of the men and boys is enough to pollute and corrupt one's mind. They simply become brutes. Christians will alone teach better and save these people.

"Our harvest is over. The Indian hot summer is now in full swing. It will be trying for us all. We go early in the morning to visit several villages where we get a great many people to listen to our story. Summer days are dull days for us all.

"My work lies out in the district and I seldom get a chance to use my English. While writing I feel greatly embarrassed. Do you understand my broken English? If you find it hard to understand it, please let me know frankly, so that I may take more pains to write it grammatically and correctly. Kindest regards to you and Bowdoin men. In haste,

"Your obedient servant,

"A. S. HIWALE."

### Y. M. C. A. TREASURER'S REPORT

Report of the Treasurer of the Bowdoin Christian Association, 1914-1915:

#### RECEIPTS

Balance from P. J. Koughan.....	\$19 15
College fund account.....	200 00
Advertising in handbook.....	35 25
A. S. B. C. ....	151 53
Freshman Night Committee.....	1 28

Total Receipts ..... \$407 21

#### EXPENDITURES

Northfield Convention fees.....	\$15 00
Efficiency Conference fees.....	10 00
Maine State Y. M. C. A. dues.....	5 00
International Y. M. C. A. dues.....	15 00
Student Conference fees.....	3 00
Printing .....	54 95
Stamps and postcards.....	27 70
Deputation expenses .....	9 27
Outside speakers' expenses.....	37 45
Handbooks .....	118 25
Freshmen reception .....	61 40
Pejepscot work .....	6 73

Hiwale committee expenses .....	2 25
Telephone and telegraph.....	1 83
Freight .....	2 25
Y. M. C. A. group picture.....	5 00
Janitor service .....	3 25
Incidentals .....	10 62
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Total Expenditures .....	\$388 95
Balance in bank.....	18 26
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Total .....	\$407 21

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT H. FOSTER,  
*Treasurer.*

Audited, April 19, 1915.

WILMOT B. MITCHELL,  
*Faculty Auditor.*

#### DEKES WIN INTERFRATERNITY MEET

Delta Kappa Epsilon romped away with the recent Interfraternity Track Meet. Beta Theta Pi was second with 34 points and the other fraternities shared about equally the remaining points. Leadbetter was high point winner with three firsts in the weight events and Savage garnered 10 points in the two hurdle events. The summary: Delta Kappa Epsilon 56, Beta Theta Pi 34, Alpha Delta Phi 13½, Kappa Sigma 6, Psi Upsilon 5, Theta Delta Chi 3, Beta Chi 3, Bowdoin Club 2, Non-Fraternity 2, Delta Upsilon 1½. Zeta Psi failed to score.

### Communications

#### OBITUARY RESOLUTIONS

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

Obituary resolutions are not intentionally drafted with a purpose to excite derision and laughter, but they sometimes do so.

A friend of mine, whose name I will not give, has sent me some comments upon a series of resolutions upon the death recently of a medical student, who is sincerely mourned. A reference to the last issue of the *ORIENT* will supply the matter on which the comment is based. My friend writes:

1. I like the idea that "our Heavenly Father has thought it best to call from us," etc.

2. The class "*hopes* to express the great sorrow that is ours," and therefore wanders from its purpose by expressing sympathy with the family.

3. Resolved that the class "do deeply mourn" is in keeping with its evident purpose to leave nothing at loose ends.

Several years ago I undertook a campaign in the *ORIENT* to persuade the members of the secret fraternities to show a little more originality in

their obituary productions, and abolish all the wooden preambles which invariably began, "whereas it has pleased our Heavenly Father in His infinite wisdom to remove from our midst," and so forth. Most of that silliness has been dropped by all the societies. Some of them still end with a stereotyped "Resolved that we extend to the relatives and friends" etc., but on the whole they have done pretty well in eliminating nonsense and stereotyped phrases from their obituary productions. I hope that the reform may extend to the Medical School.

If the members of the fraternity do really mourn a deceased brother they should take pains to say something about him in a dignified and sympathetic manner. If they do that the "family and friends" will be sure of their sympathy without their putting the sentiment in words which are the same on every occasion. My own opinion is that the best model of an obituary for a college fraternity is a "minute,"—a brief, well-written expression, calling attention to the leading points in the career of the deceased brother, or to his traits that secure him the love of his fellows, or to anything else that is personal to him. Above everything else there should be no "resolutions" and no similarity in language or in thought between any two notices.

EDWARD STANWOOD.

Brookline, Mass., April 9.

### Club and Council Meetings

There will be an important meeting of the Debating Council in the Debating room of Hubbard Hall at 2.30 P. M. Thursday, April 29. This meeting will be held for the purpose of electing officers and for the adoption of a constitution and by-laws.

At a meeting of the Sophomore class last Friday it was voted that the class should hold a banquet this spring. Nominations for the Alexander Prize Speaking contest were also made. There will be a meeting of the class this afternoon at one o'clock in Memorial Hall to decide upon the details of the banquet.

### The Other Colleges

The petition of the University of Maine Press Club to establish a chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, the national journalism fraternity, has been accepted, and the installation will take place at an early date. Sigma Delta Chi was organized to encourage the efforts of students who intend to enter journalism and only such students who expect to enter the newspaper profession are ac-



cepted by the fraternity.

Plans are now on foot at Williams College to form an outing club similar to the movement first introduced at Dartmouth College, and later adopted by other institutions. The project has matured so far that a tentative constitution has been drawn up. Devoting its attention to shooting, fishing, hikes and other outdoor sports, the club also plans to construct shelters for camping parties, to restock trout streams, to obtain resident hunting licenses for the students, and to hold an annual winter carnival.

It is proposed to erect at New Hampshire State College an Elizabethan theatre, of the kind of playhouse that Shakespeare, Marlowe and the other dramatists of the period wrote for. A model is now being made in the college shops by the instructor in woodworking. It will be used in the courses of history of the drama and Shakespeare.

Brown University has recently opened the \$100,000 Arnold Biological Laboratory. Forty-two per cent. of the degrees of Ph.D. granted at Brown in the past ten years have been taken in biology.

The Dartmouth Club of Boston recently staged an intercollegiate smoker in Copley Hall in that city. Among the features of the entertainment was a minstrel show, the contribution of the Amherst delegation. A Harvard man directed a burlesque grand opera, and a ballet was produced by a trio of Tech men. Each member of the Dartmouth Club was allowed to bring as his guest a graduate from another college.

Among the recent events at the University of Maine is the organization of a Republican Club to promulgate the interests of the party among college men.

In the new Academy building in process of construction at Exeter, there will be placed a tablet in memory of Dr. Harlan P. Amen, late principal of the Academy. President Hyde, a classmate of Dr. Amen, prepared the inscription, which reads as follows:

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Like one who hastened lest the eternal sleep  
Should steal upon him ere his work was done.

## The Library Table

In the past few weeks several volumes have been added to the list on the "new-book" shelves. Some of these will doubtless be interesting because of the connection with the College which their authors have had recently.

*The Early Church from Ignatius to Augustine* by George Hodges, Dean of the Episcopal Theological School, Cambridge, Mass. Dean Hodges was College Preacher Jan. 17.

*What Women Want: An Interpretation of the Feminist Movement*, by Beatrice Forbes-Robertson Hale.

*Man a Revelation of God; Christmas Praises; Love Illumined; Old Thoughts in New Dress*—four books by Rev. G. E. Ackerman, now pastor of the local Methodist Episcopal Church, and formerly professor of Systematic Theology in U. S. Grant University, Chatanooga, Tenn.

A book which will doubtless interest college men the country over because of the great interest of America in the last few years in the possibilities of a young American in Latin America, is: *The Young Man's Chances in South and Central America*, by William A. Reid. The author is especially well qualified to treat the subject for he has travelled and studied extensively between the Rio Grande and the Straits of Magellan.

Other notable books are: *Painters and Sculptors*, by Kenyon Cox; *The Home of the Blizzard; being the Story of the Australian-Antarctic Expedition, 1911-1914*, by Sir Douglas Mawson.

## With the Faculty

Professor Hormell delivered an illustrated address before the St. Paul's Church Men's Club at Codman House Tuesday on the Battle of Gettysburg.

At a meeting of the Sagadahoc County Teachers' Association held at Morse High School, Bath, on Monday, Professor Hormell spoke on "Practical Civics."

Professor Woodruff has returned to Brunswick after a two months' trip through the Middle and Southern States. Professor Woodruff plans to build a new house on the corner of Maine and Boody Streets during the coming summer.

President Hyde, Professor Johnson, Professor Woodruff, Dr. Little and Mr. Furbish attended the funeral of Mr. Moses at Bath last Thursday. Dr. Little represented the faculty.

Professor McConaughy spoke at the Penobscot County Teachers' Convention in Bangor last Friday. Next Friday he will give the "Bowdoin

lecture" at Thornton Academy, Saco, and at Westbrook. On Saturday and Sunday Professor McConaughy will speak at the Carroll County Boys' Convention at Conway, N. H.

In a bulletin of the United States Bureau of Education entitled *Present Status of the Honor System in Colleges and Universities*, President Hyde has made the following statement: "We have no honor system at Bowdoin. Our effort here is to get the honor without the system, and while we are not entirely successful with incoming students, it is a very rare thing for a man in the upper classes to cheat."

In the final debates of the Bowdoin Interscholastic Debating League in Hubbard Hall on Friday, Professor McLean was one of the judges in the debate between Brunswick and Westbrook High Schools and Professor Hornell was one of the judges in the Edward Little-Portland High debate.

Mr. Tuttle has an attack of scarlet fever which will keep him away from his classes for about four weeks.

Professor McConaughy had an article in *Religious Education* for April on "The College Student and the Church." This article referred especially to conditions in the New England colleges and described at length those at Bowdoin. Another article by Professor McConaughy on the same subject will appear in the Summer Educational Number of the *Congregationalist*.

## On the Campus

Luther Dana '03 attended the dual meet Saturday.

Gage '14 and Hall '14 were *on the campus* last week.

Freeman '18 is out for assistant manager of the Bowdoin Publishing Co.

Judge Lucilius Emery '61 of the Board of Trustees spent several days *on the campus* last week.

Cutler '15 won the Hamel Marathon at the Eagles' field day at Lake Grove, Auburn, April 19.

The flags *on the campus* were at half-mast Thursday during the funeral of Galen Clapp Moses.

Keegan '15 was laid out in a mix-up at second base during the Kappa Sig-Bowdoin Club game Friday.

The widow of Gen. Thomas Worcester Hyde, donor of the Hyde Athletic Building, died in Boston last week.

Robinson '14 and Gibson '14, who are taking a course in English Literature at Harvard, were

*on the campus* last week.

Ward ex-'18 has returned to Westbrook Seminary, where he is prominent this spring on the baseball and tennis teams.

The Bowdoin Interscholastic Baseball League began its schedule last Wednesday when South Portland High beat Thornton Academy, 5 to 3.

A place is being prepared on the side of Massachusetts Hall nearest to Memorial Hall for the Elijah Kellogg tablet which will be set up shortly.

Among those *on the campus* last week were Wish '13, Fogg '13, Badger ex-'15 and Houghton ex-'15. Houghton has been in business in Calgary, Alberta.

The class of 1910 has hired the house at 6 Cleveland Street for its commencement reunion. A large number of the '10 men expect to return for the quinquennial reunion.

The executive committee of the Y. M. C. A. met last night and organized the committee for the coming year. Plans were made for the Northfield and the Maine Collegiate Conferences.

Ramsay '15 has been chosen to represent Bowdoin in the New England Oratorical Contest to be held at Amherst on May 6. Amherst, Bowdoin, Brown, Wesleyan and Williams compose the league. MacCormick '15 will be alternate.

## Alumni Department

'77.—Among the speakers and guests of honor at the forty-sixth annual banquet of the Portland Yacht Club Monday evening were Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary '77 and Mayor William M. Ingraham '95.

'94.—Charles A. Flagg, librarian of the Bangor Public Library, has recently compiled "An Index of the Pioneers from Massachusetts to the West, Especially the State of Michigan." The book, which was written by Mr. Flagg during his leisure hours of the past winter, is a valuable addition to the genealogical works concerning the people of the State of Massachusetts.

'13.—A pamphlet recently issued by the student body of Columbia University to the student bodies of other American universities and colleges and entitled *The Menace of All Militarism* contains an article on *Militarism and College Men* by Paul H. Douglas. Among other things, Mr. Douglas says:

"The flag has often been used as an excuse for chauvinism. It should stand for national dignity and self-control. Patriotism has been made an excuse for foolish aggression and senseless fears. It should be the highest representation of a nation's ideal of social betterment. The hero to our

minds has been the officer in uniform waving a crimson sword. He is rather the man in overalls.

"We have seen a system of international relationship founded on fears—we have prided ourselves upon the fact that we were guided by reason. And now when no danger threatens our coast, when all nations are looking to us as a friend—not as a foe—at this time when never in the history of the world was there such a call for patience and for prudence, there are some who would have us assume an attitude of mingled suspicion and fear!

"The hideous fallacy of military force preventing a war should by the events of the last five months be forever driven from the human mind. Peace does not come from bayonets and bullets. At crucial times in our country's history, hundreds of thousands of young men have been willing to lay down their lives in war. Now at this crucial time in the world's history, there is as great a need to resist armament caused by the fear of war.

"College men are not mere bystanders; they are vitally concerned. We are as patriotic as our grandfathers of '61, we love our flag and our country as dearly as those men did, but we are beginning to realize the true purpose of our country and the real significance of our flag. Organization, protest, and propaganda are the chief weapons. They can do much. Will they be used?"

'98.—It was recently announced that a relief expedition would be sent out in July by the American Museum of Natural History for Donald B. MacMillan and his group of explorers who set out two years ago to discover Crockerland and who have not been heard from since last August. No fears are felt for the safety of the party but the relief expedition, fitted out at a cost of \$25,000, will be sent as a precaution because the second winter in the Arctic generally has the most telling effects on explorers.

'02.—Lieut. George E. Fogg of Portland of Fifth Company was recently elected captain of the First Company, C.A.C., N.G.S.M.

'12.—George C. Kern, ex-Councilman of the city of Portland, was elected second lieutenant of the First Company, C.A.C., N.G.S.M., at a recent meeting.

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## STATE SERIES BEGINS TODAY

This afternoon the baseball team journeys to Lewiston to meet Bates in the opening round of the State championship series. This game opens a very hard series because of the new schedule by which each college plays three games with every other Maine college. Although the game this afternoon is only the first of a long series it is quite important as the championship is generally conceded to either Bowdoin or Bates. On paper Bates looks the best of any of the Maine colleges, but early season games are usually misleading. To date each college has played five games each, Bates having won four, Colby two, Bowdoin one and Maine one. The results, however, do not really show the calibre of the various teams as in some cases weaker opponents were played.

At bat Colby leads with a percentage of .252, Bates is second with .233, Maine third with .232 and Bowdoin last with .171. Coach Coogan in the past week has devoted much time to batting practice and some of the men seem to have regained their lost form.

In fielding Bates is best with a percentage of .968, Maine second with .911, Bowdoin third with .882 and Colby last with .862. It is interesting to note that the three Bowdoin outfielders, Goodskew, Phillips and Woodman, have accepted 28 chances without an error, thus having a perfect average.

As already stated these ante-season averages do not offer the best means by which to predict the outcome of this year's series. In a week, however, the first round between the several colleges will have been played and the followers of the respective teams will have an opportunity to get an idea of their team's worth.

On Saturday Bowdoin meets Colby at Waterville, and Monday she plays here the University of Maine in the game postponed from last Saturday. Besides these hard games she also plays Tufts here on Friday. Tufts is rated as one of the best college teams in the country and is certain to make the White play hard to win. The game Friday will be the first home game of the season and is the first of three games to be played in four days. Some lively practice has been held during the last week and the team has improved

a great deal in many departments of the game.

The men making the trip this afternoon are Captain Eaton '15, Allen '15, Fraser '16, Kelley '16, McElwee '16, Bradford '17, Chapman '17, Goodskew '17, Phillips '17, Donnell '18, Pendleton '18, Stanley '18 and Woodman '18.

## BOWDOIN MEETS M. I. T. SATURDAY

Next Saturday Bowdoin meets the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in a dual meet at Cambridge. In view of Tech's recent victory over Holy Cross, it is certain that her team will perform equally as well as last year. Bowdoin, too, has a well trained team, which during the past spring has been working very consistently and well. She will be greatly handicapped, however, by the fact that she will be unable to enter more than two or three men in each event, while Tech can enter the full number allowed, six. M. I. T. is very strong in the sprints, but Bowdoin is expected to do her best in the weight events.

In O'Hara, Loomis and Wilson, Tech has three men, each capable of doing ten and three-fifths seconds in the hundred and all excellent performers in the furlong. Bowdoin has entered in the sprints McWilliams, Bond, Pirnie, Simonton and C. Wyman.

Guething, Tech's crack relay runner, is expected to do well in the 440 yard run. Bowdoin's entries in this event include McWilliams, Stetson, Bond, Crosby, A. S. Gray and L. Wyman.

Coach Magee has entered Stetson, Sayward, Crosby and Fillmore in the half-mile event, while Tech will probably enter Brown and Brock.

Fast times are anticipated in the distance races. In the mile the Institute will race Brown, who has run the distance in four minutes, twenty-six seconds and who also came fourth in the New England Intercollegiate Cross Country championship last fall. Captain Cook, the New England Intercollegiate two-mile champion and winner of the event here last year, is in good form. Against Holy Cross, Tech won all three places in the two-mile. Bowdoin, however, is strong in the distances with Cutler, Irving, Noyes and Hildreth as her entries.

In the hurdles either Webber, White, Young or Savage should do well for Bowdoin, while the Tech entries are Huff, Sewall and Foster, men

who won all three places in the hurdle events at Bowdoin last year.

Bowdoin's entries include Webber, Wood, Rickard and White in the high jump. Tech has entered Teeson, who tied for first place with White last spring, Doon and Sullivan.

Smith, Sampson, White and C. Wyman are Bowdoin's entries in the broad jump. Competing against them will be Colleary, Reed and Avery, each one of these men having consistently jumped farther than 21 feet. Colleary, while competing for Holy Cross two years ago, was the New England Intercollegiate champion in this event.

Close competition is looked for in the pole vault in which Captain McKenney, Fenning and Sampson are entered for Bowdoin. Tech's best vaulter is Lawrason, who tied twice with McKenney last year.

In the weights Bowdoin should score heavily as she did last spring, although Swain and Gokoey of Tech are both good men. Entered for Bowdoin in the weight events are Austin, Leadbetter, Moulton, Campbell, Colbath, McConaughy, Warren and Young.

The team will probably be picked today or tomorrow, and on Friday a team of about 25 men with Coach Magee, Manager Chase and Assistant Manager Marston will leave for Boston.

In speaking of the meet, Coach Magee stated that he would take down an aggregation, every man of which is expected to score in his respective event, and men who he feels assured will fight hard until the final event.

#### BOWDOIN 2ND 2, HEBRON 1

The Bowdoin Second team defeated Hebron, 2 to 1, in a closely contested game at the academy Wednesday. Neither team scored until the fifth. Hight '16 held the prep school men down to four hits, while Bowdoin secured seven from the three Hebron pitchers. Four errors were checked up against the Hebron team, while Bowdoin played errorless ball. The score:

Bowdoin 2nd .... 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0—2  
Hebron ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1

Batteries—Hight '16 and Stuart '16; Miller, Pendleton, Hall and Cross.

#### INTERFRATERNITY BASEBALL

##### ZETA PSI 14, ALPHA DELTA PHI 4

In a one-sided but interesting game the Zeta Psi baseball team defeated Alpha Delta Phi Tuesday afternoon, 14 to 4. The Zetes started scoring in the first inning and from that time consistently added to their score while the A. D's. garnered their runs in an erratic second inning. Nevens played well behind the bat for the Zetes and

Weatherill covered much territory in center field for the A. D's. The score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	T
Zetes .....	3	2	5	2	0	0	2	—14
A. D's .....	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	—4

Batteries—Marston '17 and Nevens '18; Woodman '16 and Robie '16. Umpire, Keene '17.

#### FRATERNITY BASEBALL LEAGUE STANDING

	Division A		
	Won	Lost	P.C.
Beta Theta Pi .....	1	0	1.000
Psi Upsilon .....	1	0	1.000
Zeta Psi .....	1	0	1.000
Delta Kappa Epsilon ....	0	1	.000
Alpha Delta Phi .....	0	2	.000

#### Division B

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Delta Upsilon .....	1	0	1.000
Theta Delta Chi .....	1	0	1.000
Bowdoin Club .....	1	1	.500
Kappa Sigma .....	0	1	.000
Beta Chi .....	0	1	.000

#### SPRING TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The rainy weather of the past week interfered somewhat with the spring tennis tournament. The first round has already been played, and several matches in the second round have been played off. In the first round, Parsons '16 beat Bartlett '17, 3-6, 8-6, 6-3; Head '16 beat Stearns '18, 6-2, 6-4; Baxter '16 beat Thomas '18, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3; Farmer '18 won from Eaton '15 by default; Schlosberg '18 beat Rickard '17, 6-2, 6-2; Flynt '17 beat Emery '18, 6-1, 6-1; White '16 beat Foster '17, 6-2, 6-3; Ladd '16 beat Little '17, 6-2, 6-4; Mannix '15 beat Achorn '17, 6-0, 6-1; Larrabee '16 beat Cutler '15, 6-0, 6-0; Freeman '18 beat Floyd '15, 6-2, 10-8; Woodman '16 beat Niven '16, 6-1, 6-1; Nickerson '16 beat Sanderson '18, 6-3, 6-0; Roper '18 beat DeMott '18, 7-5, 6-3; Allen '18 beat Coffin '15, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4; Card '15 beat Van Wart '18, 6-0, 6-1.

In the second round Baxter '16 beat Farmer '18, 4-6, 6-2, 6-0; and Card '15 beat Allen '18, 6-2, 1-6, 7-5. The matches should be finished by the middle of the week as the regular season begins with the match at Portland against the Portland Country Club, Saturday.

#### FRATERNITY HOUSE PARTIES

##### BETA THETA PI

The annual house party of the Beta Sigma chapter of Beta Theta Pi was held Friday afternoon and evening, April 30. The festivities began with a reception in the afternoon at which Mrs. Paul Nixon, Mrs. William Hawley Davis,

Mrs. Alice C. Little of Brunswick and Mrs. Elmer E. Bird of Rockland received. The dance was held in the evening with the same ladies as patronesses. Music was by Lovell's Orchestra of Brunswick.

Among the guests were: Misses Ruth Lovell, Lucinda Blaisdell, Helene Blackwell, Isabel Palmer, Clara Ridley of Brunswick, Annie Brown, Frances Foss, Esther Coffin of Portland, Jeanne Moulton of Cumberland Center, Esther Haswell of Lewiston, Edith Hopkins of Bath, Louise McCurdy of Calais, Dorothea Libby, Dallas Booker of Waterville, Geneva Rose, Nettie Bird of Rockland, Madge Tooker of Cherryfield, Dorothy Drake, Edythe Haseltine of Pittsfield, Phoebe Vincent of Houlton, Genevieve Robinson of Hallowell, Mary Sampson of Dexter, Katherine Sturtevant of Pownal, Marion Smith of Norway, Effie Ireland of Stetson and Laura Smiley of Bangor.

The committee in charge was Brown '15, Koughan '15, Bird '16, Lovejoy '17 and Hanson '18.

#### KAPPA SIGMA

The annual spring house party of Alpha Rho chapter of Kappa Sigma was held Friday and Saturday. Friday evening a dance was given in Pythian Hall. The patronesses were Mrs. Roscoe J. Ham, Mrs. Alfred O. Gross, Mrs. Lee D. McClean and Mrs. Frank M. Stetson of Brunswick, and Mrs. Arthur J. Floyd of Portland. Chandler's Orchestra of Lewiston furnished the music for twenty-four dances. The committee in charge consisted of Somers '15, chairman; Elliott '16 and Wight '17.

Saturday afternoon the party took a trip down the New Meadows River to Gurnet. In the afternoon an informal dance was held, followed by a dinner at the Gurnet House.

The guests included Misses Elizabeth Barton, Lucy Dean, Virginia Hamilton, Reta Morse, Helen Nelson, Ina Nelson, Florence Rideout, Flora Somers, Fidelia Woodbury and Irene Woodbury of Portland, Louise Haggett and Matilda Lightbody of Bath, Lorette Lapointe and Yvette Lapointe of Brunswick, Clarice Holmes and Mildren Tinker of Auburn, Florence Farrington of Lewiston, Marjory Runnells of Bangor, Marion Kimball of Gorham, Mildred Tuttle of Rockland, Dorothy Estes of Lowell, Mass., Kathleen Piper of Lynn, Mass., and Madeline Brown of Danvers, Mass.

#### THETA DELTA CHI

Eta Charge of Theta Delta Chi held its eleventh annual house party at the Charge house Friday. A reception was held in the afternoon, with Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell, Mrs. Alaric W.

Haskell, Mrs. Lee D. McClean and Mrs. Charles T. Burnett in the receiving line. Mrs. Leon S. Lippincott and Mrs. John A. Slocum poured. In the evening the American Society Orchestra of Portland played for an order of 20 dances. Mrs. Alaric W. Haskell, Mrs. Leon Lippincott and Mrs. John A. Slocum were patronesses. The guests were the Misses Beatrice Palmer, Helen Small, Esther Stevens, Marion Conley, Laura Goding, Gertrude Tuttle and Marion Fernald of Portland, Ruth Nearing and Marion Strout of Brunswick, Dorothy Nichols, Isabel Olm, Pauline Hatch and Katherine Torrey of Bath, Theresa Bisson of Skowhegan, Ruth Hayes of Lawrence, Mass., and Priscilla Magoon of Haddonfield, N. J.

The committee in charge of the dance were Littlefield '16, chairman; Richardson '15, Beal '16, Biggers '17 and Haskell '18.

#### COLLEGE PREACHER NEXT SUNDAY

Rev. G. A. Johnston Ross, D.D., of the Union Theological Seminary, New York, will be the College Preacher for next Sunday. After a conspicuously successful pastorate in Cambridge, England, where his services were largely attended by the university students, Dr. Ross was pastor for several years at Bryn Mawr, Pa., where his influence is still distinctly felt in the college and in the community. He is now a professor in Union Theological Seminary and is much in demand as preacher in many of the large colleges. He is the author of *The University of Jesus* and other books on religious themes.

In accordance with the usual custom Dr. Ross will speak at the morning service at the Church on the Hill at 10.45 and at Vespers in the Chapel. It is expected that he will be at one of the fraternity houses after dinner Sunday evening for an informal conference with the students.

#### BOWDOIN CLUB OF PORTLAND MEETS

The Bowdoin Club of Portland held a luncheon at the Falmouth Hotel in Portland, April 16, 1915. Coach Coogan and Captain Eaton of the baseball team were present and spoke of what the team hoped to do during the coming season. The meeting was very enthusiastic and several freshmen were in attendance.

#### TRACK LECTURE

Coach Magee is planning to give to the Track Club in the near future an illustrated lecture on "Practical Track Athletics." The slides will show various Bowdoin track men in action in past meets.



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### Law Courses in the College

In the issue of April 20 the ORIENT published a letter from a Bowdoin graduate, Mr. Locke, now a student in law school, saying that the College should offer courses designed to fit men for law school. We did not agree with this letter, however, but maintained that courses in Economics, History and Argumentation should serve as fitting preparation for study in law school and should enable the serious-minded student to form a reasonable conception of law. We have received from another Bowdoin man, Mr. Earle Russell, also a law student, a letter which urges that such courses be adopted.

We still hold to our former opinion that the curriculum as now constituted is sufficient for those who are about to study for the profession

of law. The College should give the background, the foundation, the mental capacity to grasp material offered in law school, as in medical or theological school; the law school should give the technicalities.

As for the intimation that our editorial was but the product of a single undergraduate, not in a position to know, we feel bound to say, in justice to the attitude taken, that we published the editorial only after a long conversation with the president of the College, and with a Bowdoin alumnus, who is now a successful lawyer in Boston. Both agreed that Mr. Locke's courses should be given, if at all, by the law school, not by the college.

Of course, if the College were a large university, with unlimited millions, and were seeking to enlarge its lines of instruction in accordance with its wealth, these courses might be added in preference to some others. But to the proposal to include them in the curriculum of Bowdoin College, proportionately large though its endowment may be, we must offer an emphatic negative.

### The Eternal Freshman

Bowdoin freshmen are unhampered by numerous restrictions imposed upon first year men at other institutions. With the exception of mail and lawmower duties required by the various fraternities practically the only regulation now inflicted is the wearing of freshman caps and a realization of the fact that freshmen are freshmen and not seniors. A sizeable proportion of freshmen do not observe the cap custom, which, while doubtless senseless to those whose pride is galled by it, is perfectly reasonable to those who observed it during their year of verdancy. Nor is there reason why freshman nuisances should continue. The painting of the numerals "1918" on the foul board at Whittier Field is not excused by the fact that last year's freshmen perpetrated a similar eyesore. The throwing of water from the dormitories fails to retain its humor. While the Student Council and the upper classes have the right and power to demand reform along these lines, the freshmen are old enough, or should be, to tread their somewhat loosely defined "straight and narrow" without continual application of the slipper.

### MEDIC SENIORS ELECT

At a recent meeting of the graduating class of the Maine Medical School the following men were elected officers: President, Allan Woodcock; secretary, F. S. Echols; treasurer, C. D. Gray. A committee was chosen to make arrange-



ments for the hanging of the picture of one of the professors in the school building, this having been the custom of the graduates for many years. Another committee was elected to arrange for a field day for the class. This is the first attempt ever made to hold a field day.

## Communications

II Ashburton Place,  
Boston, Mass.,  
April 22, 1915.

To the Editor of the ORIENT:

As one who has read with much interest Mr. Locke's communication and the ORIENT's editorial upon the same in a recent issue of that publication, I beg to add a few words to the discussion. If I understand Mr. Locke correctly, he bases his argument for the introduction of the courses he suggests upon: first, the value of some knowledge of the philosophy, science, nature and elementary concepts of the law to the layman, and, secondly, the value of such a course as a guide to the undergraduate in choosing or rejecting the law as a profession. Mr. Locke, I feel sure, did not mean, by emphasizing the latter, to minimize the importance of the former. The ORIENT freely admits the validity of this first argument; I will then address myself to the second. It is, however, to be remembered that the facts which form the basis for the reasoning to the one may as well be used in the reasoning to the other proposition.

I indorse what Mr. Locke says because:—

1. My own personal experience and observation have taught me the truth of his contention.

2. The editorial comment upon the letter illustrates the fallacy of the average undergraduate and layman's conception and proves the exact point Mr. Locke makes.

3. Other colleges seem to have recognized the truth of his observation and included such courses in their curricula.

Just completing my law course as I am, the peculiar problems the law-school man just out of the college has to meet and to solve in his law-school work are very vivid in my mind. On the other hand, I have not been out of the college so long as to have forgotten the undergraduate conception of the probable nature of those problems when he—the undergraduate—should take up the study of the law.

When I was in college, I took all the History, Political Science, English and Debating, and pretty much all the Economics the college had to offer. I think I pursued those studies with as much diligence and seriousness of purpose as the

average undergraduate. But they did not teach me what law was like; nor, indeed, did they, any more than any other branch of human knowledge, form a basis for my law-school work. Perhaps you will be surprised when I say that I have found my work in Psychology of far greater value to me here at the law school than any of the other subjects named. Yet this is easily explainable. The state of a man's mind,—the animus,—plays a most important part in the law, particularly in the Criminal Law and certain specific torts. I know a man who believes that Logic is the most valuable of the courses he took in college, from the standpoint of his law-school work. And I remember another man, now a practicing attorney, who always insisted that mathematics was more valuable than debating. I might add that he was an old Bowdoin 'varsity debater.

In fact, History and Economics, rather than teaching a man what the law is like, tend to make him think it is something very different from what it is. Let me illustrate. I had read and studied Jenks' Trust Problem in Economics. I noted in the law-school catalogue a course in "Trusts." To myself I said that here was something which was but a continuation of my Economics course. Imagine my surprise when I learned that the law of trusts had to do with a technical relationship between the holder of the legal title to property and the person who has the right to the beneficial enjoyment of that property. There is nothing about big business combinations in the law of Trusts.

Or again, I had seen listed a course in "Pleading." That, I said, is but a continuation of my work in Debating; in such a course I learn how to argue before a jury. I have since learned that Pleading is the Geometry of the law: it is the most technical, logical set of rules in the whole law and has nothing whatever to do with *talking*. Perhaps I was more ignorant about these things than the Bowdoin undergraduate of today. But I am sure that I have met many graduates of Bowdoin in various law schools who have testified to experiences similar to my own.

And when I examine the editorial in the last issue, I realize that there are at least some men in college today whose ideas are as erroneous as were mine only three short years ago. Let me quote.

"The college offers courses in History and Economics which should and do give a general view of the nature of law." Again the editor suggests that if a man conscientiously does his work in History and Economics, "he should be able to form a reasonable conception of the law,

and to decide whether or not he is fitted for the profession." Emphatically, this is not so. Economics, Ethics, Jurisprudence (the science of law) are all moral as distinguished from exact sciences, but the study of the one does not give a view of even the nature of the other. Constitutional History and Political Science may give a man some idea of Public Law (constitutional law and the law of municipal corporations), but these branches occupy just about one-twentieth of the time in a three-year course of law study.

A knowledge of the facts of history and the principles of economics are an aid to the legislator in framing wise legislation *when coupled with a knowledge of the elements of jurisprudence and the nature of our common law system*; when not so coupled, it is all too often a positive harm and responsible for much of the poorly drafted and erroneously conceived legislation of today. To the practicing lawyer or law student, such a knowledge is valuable only as all human knowledge, be it of toxicology or mechanics, is valuable.

It is surely not without some significance that other colleges have included courses in some phase of the science or application of law in their curricula. Harvard, Yale, Dartmouth, Brown, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Amherst, Williams, Boston University, University of Vermont, Middlebury, University of Maine, Tufts and Holy Cross all have courses on some phase of law or in jurisprudence, and offered to undergraduates in the academic department. A semester course in Jurisprudence would give a man the opportunity to learn of the science, philosophy and nature of law; a second semester spent in a study of Elementary Law would enable him to survey the whole field of our common law and learn a few of its basic principles.

The man who took such courses, whether he intended to study law or music, would at least have dispelled that fallacious but common idea that law is but a sort of "higher economics and history." And the college would be no more of a kindergarten for the law school for having offered such courses than it is today a kindergarten for the medical school because it gives Biology.

Respectfully,

EARLE L. RUSSELL, *cr-1912.*

April 16, 1915.

To the Editor of the ORIENT:

As the preliminary trials for the Alexander Prize Speaking Contest are about to take place, I feel that the attention of members of the classes concerned should be called to the opportunities (apart from the very substantial prizes) afforded by this competition. There is, first, the opportu-

ity to represent one's class, and that in a peculiarly honorable way. The traditional method of selecting candidates is to take a poll of the class. Each candidate is therefore assigned his position by a consensus of the opinions of his associates. It involves no little responsibility and no mean honor to be awarded a position in the preliminary trials.

There is, second, the opportunity to prepare thoroughly and in comparative leisure a choice selection from literature. This opportunity need not be dwelt upon, but it may be said to include the most careful and the most extended individual attention provided by the College previous to the Senior year.

There is, finally, the opportunity to represent the College in the dignified activities of that period when its guests are most numerous and most enthusiastic, Commencement Week. The Contest is invariably well attended by a discriminating and appreciative audience.

The reason, I take it, why duly chosen and promising candidates, notwithstanding these opportunities, each year resign from the competition, is that the Contest takes place at the very end of the College year, when the classes concerned have dispersed for the vacation. The sacrifice involved in postponing summer activities and lingering in Brunswick a day or so, more or less forsaken by intimate friends, is demanded. But surely in view of the opportunities afforded, this sacrifice is slight.

Respectfully yours,

W. H. DAVIS.

#### BOARD OF OVERSEERS NOMINEES

In accordance with the charter of Bowdoin College the Board of Overseers fills its own vacancies. But for one-half of these it has long been accustomed to elect the nominees of the alumni. The ballot or "eligible list" by which the alumni select their candidate will be mailed shortly. This has four names, M. S. Holway '82, W. M. Emery '89, E. W. Freeman '85 and J. L. Doherty '89. Mr. Holway is a lawyer and prominent citizen of Augusta, Me., who would in an especial way represent the graduates of the Kennebec Valley; Mr. Emery, city editor of the *Evening News* of Fall River, Mass., is one of the most active and efficient of the class secretaries; Mr. Freeman is a prominent equity lawyer of Portland, Me.; Mr. Doherty, formerly city solicitor of Springfield, Mass., is now one of the five Federal Trustees holding majority stock interest of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company in the Boston & Maine Railroad.

The alumni will be asked, at the same time, to

choose four members of the Alumni Council to fill the places of the four who retire after having served but one year. These four gentlemen are all candidates for re-election and the ticket is as follows: Harry E. Andrews '94, a manufacturer of Kennebunk, Me.; Howard R. Ives '98, a lawyer of Portland; George C. Wheeler '01, a lawyer of Portland; Joseph B. Roberts '95, a lawyer of New York City, and secretary of the New York Alumni Association; W. W. Thomas '94, a lawyer of Portland; Dr. Preston Kyes '96, of the University of Chicago; Charles H. Hastings '91, of the Library of Congress and secretary of the Washington Alumni Association and Dr. Frederick Dillingham '77, recently president of the New York Alumni Association.

### Club and Council Meetings

At a recent meeting of the Board of Managers the advisability of extending the tennis schedule and playing Wesleyan at Middletown was considered. It was found that about fifty students in the college had not paid their Blanket Tax for the present semester. In view of the resulting lack of receipts from the tax the Board decided to take no action upon the addition to the tennis schedule. A resolution was passed providing that all those who have asked for an extension in payment of their Blanket Tax and all who have done nothing about the matter be given until May 15 to pay it and after that date all those who have not paid shall be debarred from all college activities in accordance with the constitution of the A.S.B.C.

The Debating Council met at Hubbard Hall Thursday afternoon and adopted a new constitution and by-laws. The following new officers were elected: President, Kinsey '16; secretary, Parsons '16; manager, Hescok '16. The vice-president and assistant manager will be elected from the new men joining the Council next fall.

The Athletic Council voted last Monday to keep the baseball coach off the bench in all championship games in which the opposing team is willing to reciprocate. It was voted to accede to the request of Bates to have the date of the first game in Lewiston changed from May 5 to May 4.

The Student Council last week elected Richard S. Fuller '16 business representative of the College at the New England Oratorical League Contest at Amherst, May 6.

### With the Faculty

Professor McConaughy will attend the Conference of the Congregational Churches of Maine

on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at Augusta, as delegate from the Church on the Hill.

Professor Brown, who is one of the managers of the Portland Players was a member of the cast of "The Fortune Hunters" at the Jefferson Theatre, Portland, last week.

Professor Files attended a hearing relating to appropriations for the care of highways before the Governor, Council and Highway Commission in Augusta, last Wednesday.

Professor Ham has an article (in German) in a recent Sunday issue of the *Frankfurter Zeitung*. He will read an article on "A Course of Historical Reading for Modern Language Teachers" before the New England Modern Language Association in Boston on Saturday, May 8.

The committee on nominations of Harvard Alumni Association has nominated President Hyde, Harvard '79, for the Harvard Board of Overseers. Seventeen men have been nominated and will be voted on at the annual elections next June to fill the five vacancies now existing.

### On the Campus

I. C. Merrill '15 united with the Church on the Hill Sunday.

Johnson '18 acted as best man at his brother's wedding last week.

C. S. Smith '18 has left college on account of the serious illness of his father.

Wish '13, Tarbox '14, Bacon *ex-'16* and Doten *ex-'17* were on the campus last week.

A "second midnight" train leaving Portland at 1.20 A. M. was added to the Maine Central schedule yesterday.

Tackaberry '15 will replace Rickard '17 as Jacques in *As You Like It*, and Rickard '17 will take the part of Jacques de Bois.

Colton *ex-'18* sailed about three weeks ago on the Red Cross steamship *Prairie* for at least three months' service with the Ambulance Corps on the European battlefields.

There are now four Freshman candidates for assistant manager of the Masque and Gown: Call, Joyce, McQuillan and Mooers. Colter '18 and Derby '18 are out for property man.

A valuable collection of 30 new birds has been presented to the biological museum. The New York School of Forestry has also given a collection of various specimens of American woods.

John Bunny, who is well-known to most of the students as a prominent motion picture player, died recently in New York at the age of fifty-two years. It is said that his salary with royalties amounted to more than that of a United States president.



A number of Bowdoin men were prominent in the entertainment given by the Paramount Minstrels Thursday. Nevens '18 was master of ceremonies and Haseltine '17, Scott '18 and Thomas '18 were soloists. Elliott '16 gave an exhibition of dancing.

The Dean has given permission that the game with Tufts Friday be played at 3 o'clock, an exception to the faculty ruling that all baseball games be played at 3.30. This is done in order that the Tufts team may catch the five o'clock train. No students will be allowed to cut 2.30 recitations for the game.

The classes in English for the French mill workers have ended for the season, but the work will be renewed next fall. The men showed great interest in picking up the language, and the students in charge of the classes feel quite satisfied with the year's work, which was somewhat interrupted by the burning of the high school.

Tickets which were secured for the Maine game which was postponed Saturday will be good for the play-off. This will probably be next Monday. Announcement will be made of an hour this week when money will be refunded to those who purchased extra tickets. Money will not be refunded on tickets exchanged for blanket tax coupons.

Fuller '16 has the leading part in "Bud, the College Duke," an amateur performance which will be presented in Lewiston May 10, 11 and 12. His part is H. Marmaduke Wiser, familiarly known to his friends as Bud. The play, which with choruses includes 400 people, is produced under the personal direction of Arthur E. ("Doc") Wyman, Dartmouth '13, who is well known to many Bowdoin undergraduates.

## Alumni Department

'34.—C. D. Appleton of Washington, D. C., has presented the College with the Athenæan Society medal which belonged to his late father, Honorable John Appleton '34. It is of silver, heart-shaped, with a hole in each upper corner, and is about the size of an ordinary watch fob and bears this inscription on one side:

Cul Su  
Athenæan  
Society  
Sci Cor

The abbreviated words are "cultores suos scientia coronat." On the reverse side is engraved the name of the owner.

'02.—The engagement of John W. Higgins of Skowhegan, register of deeds of Somerset County, to Miss Florence M. Stanley of Kezar Falls, has been announced.

'03.—The class of '03 held its annual banquet at the Falmouth Hotel in Portland Friday evening, April 23. Informal story telling took the place of formal addresses at the close of the dinner, and the remainder of the evening was spent in singing Bowdoin songs and talking over old times. Those present were: Philip G. Clifford, Franklin Lawrence, George S. Sabin, Edward F. Moody, Harris A. Jones, Sidney P. Larrabee, Carroll L. Beedy, Carl W. Smith, Henry A. Peabody, Clement F. Robinson, Dr. Francis J. Welch and Leon V. Walker, of Portland; Hon. Blaine S. Viles of Augusta, Samuel B. Gray of Old Town, E. Farrington Abbott of Auburn and Luther Dana of Westbrook.

'04.—Henry E. Beverage, who has for some time been connected with the advertising department of the Portland Daily and Sunday Press, has resigned his position and taken an interest in the L. A. Hinds Advertising Agency. Mr. Beverage has had wide experience in advertising, having been connected for years with one of the biggest agencies in the country.

Medic. '05.—Dr. Fred Milton Smith of Portland died, April 24, while returning home from a professional call. Although Dr. Smith was only thirty-five years of age, he had practiced with great success since his graduation from the Maine Medical School, and had given every evidence of becoming a leader in his profession. He married a few years ago Miss Martha Vose, one of Portland's best known vocalists, and he leaves, beside his widow and one child, his father, Henry M. Smith, and one brother, Frank H. Smith.

'05.—Louis Dwight Harvell Weld, recently instructor in the University of Minnesota, has been appointed Professor of Business Administration in the Sheffield Scientific School of Yale University.

'05.—Among the publications recently received at the Library is *Studies in Marketing of Farm Products*, written by Louis D. H. Weld, Assistant Professor of Economics and Chief of the Division of Research in Argicultural Economics at the University of Minnesota, with the coöperation of five students in the classes in Agricultural Economics. The book treats the problem of marketing livestock, poultry, milk, potatoes, grain and other farm products. Mr. Weld is an authority in his division of Economics, and his work is a contribution of great value to students interested in marketing. The chapter on *Market Distribution* was read at the annual meeting of the American Economic Association at Princeton, N. J.

'08.—Chester Yeaton, formerly instructor in Chicago University, has been elected instructor in Mathematics at Dartmouth.



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## BOWDOIN WINS M. I. T. MEET

When the score of the first four events was announced at the Bowdoin-Tech meet as 24 to 12 in favor of the Tech, the Bowdoin men in the stand hoped that Bowdoin would be able to continue in the same ratio. But Bowdoin began to creep up slowly, and with the winning of all but three points in the weights forged ahead a victor by the score of 74 to 52.

Without an exception the Bowdoin men did their best. The times and distances were far better than the team has done in practice and the men showed ability to pull up at the finish.

Bowdoin's one weak place was the 100 and 220 yard dashes, but this might better be attributed to Tech's strength rather than Bowdoin's weakness.

McWilliams ran a pretty race in the 440. Although badly boxed at the start, he forged ahead at the finish, losing to Guething by inches. Cutler ran well in the mile, pulling up from a poor third to a good second in the last lap. The two mile was not close, and while Irving ran a good race, he was plainly outclassed by Cook of Tech, who is booked to lower the New England record. Crosby and Sayward landed first and second in the half.

Savage beat Huff of Tech by inches in the high hurdles but won more easily in the low, when he was followed to the tape by Webber, who passed Van Kirk in the last fifty yards.

Bowdoin was strongest in the weights, capturing all three places in the shot and discus and all but second in the shot.

Sampson broke his own record in the pole vault by clearing 11 feet while McKenney took second. Smith's victory in the broad jump and White's in the high jump made the meet a certainty.

Bowdoin scored nine firsts, eight seconds and five thirds. Gold, silver and bronze medals were given for first, second and third.

Fully as many Bowdoin as Tech men were present.

The summary:

One Hundred Yard Dash—Won by Loomis, Tech; second, O'Hara, Tech; third, Wyman, Bowdoin. Time, 10 2-5 seconds.

Mile Run—Won by Brown, Tech; second, Cutler, Bowdoin; third, Allan, Tech. Time, 4 minutes, 36 seconds.

120 Yard Hurdles—Won by Savage, Bowdoin; second, Huff, Tech; third, Sewall, Tech. Time, 17 seconds.

440 Yard Run—Won by C. Guething, Tech; second, McWilliams, Bowdoin; third, Coward, Tech. Time, 51 4-5 seconds.

220 Yard Hurdles—Won by Savage, Bowdoin; second, Webber, Bowdoin; third, Van Kirk, Tech. Time, 26 seconds.

Two Mile Run—Won by Cook, Tech; second, Irving, Bowdoin; third, Litchfield, Tech. Time, 9 minutes, 35 3-5 seconds.

880 Yard Run—Won by Crosby, Bowdoin; second, Sayward, Bowdoin; third, Hamilton, Tech. Time, 2 minutes, 2 3-5 seconds.

High Jump—Won by White, Bowdoin; second, Teeson, Tech; third, Doooin, Tech. Height, 5 feet, 8 1-2 inches.

Shot Put—Won by Leadbetter, Bowdoin; second, Sewall, Tech; third, Moulton, Bowdoin. Distance, 39 feet, 3 3-4 inches.

Broad Jump—Won by Smith, Bowdoin; second, Reed, Tech; third, O'Leary, Tech. Distance, 21 feet, 3 inches.

Hammer Throw—Won by Leadbetter, Bowdoin; second, Colbath, Bowdoin; third, Moulton, Bowdoin. Distance, 142 feet, 1 inch.

Pole Vault—Won by Sampson, Bowdoin; second, McKenney, Bowdoin; third, Buchanan, Tech. Height, 11 feet.

Discus—Won by Leadbetter, Bowdoin; second, Moulton, Bowdoin; third, Colbath, Bowdoin. Distance, 120 feet, 5 inches.

220 Yard Dash—Won by Loomis, Tech; second, O'Hara, Tech; third, Wyman, Bowdoin. Time 22 2-5 seconds.

## BOWDOIN 6, BATES 2

Bowdoin easily won the first game of the Maine State series Tuesday, defeating Bates 6 to 2. By scoring three runs in the first inning and two in the second, Bowdoin secured a safe lead and held it while Fraser pitched a great game, holding Bates to five well-scattered hits. Bowdoin played an excellent game both at bat and in the field, while the Bates team was somewhat unsteady at times. Davidson, except for his disastrous first two innings, pitched a very creditable game, and

it was his single in the seventh which scored Bates' only runs.

McElwee at shortstop played a fast game for Bowdoin, and he was the heavy hitter, having a perfect average at the bat. Captain Eaton covered first base in excellent style, making some clever catches.

First Inning.—Phillips drew a pass. Donnell attempted to sacrifice but was safe on a dropped throw. McElwee sacrificed, advancing Phillips and Donnell. Goodskey hit to pitcher who ran down Phillips on the third base line. Kelley ran for Goodskey. Chapman got a scratch hit to shortstop, scoring Donnell and Kelley. Eaton hit to the pitcher who caught him at first but Swift, the first baseman, threw wild over third, Chapman scoring. Woodman grounded out, ending the inning. Three runs.

Duncan grounded to Eaton, MacDonald to Fraser, and Fuller to McElwee.

Second Inning.—Bradford walked and was advanced on Fraser's sacrifice bunt. Phillips moved him up another base with a sacrifice fly to second base. Donnell walked and stole second base. Davidson let loose a wild pitch, Bradford scoring and Donnell going to third. McElwee scored Donnell with a single and Goodskey fled out to center. Two runs.

Bradford caught Butler's foul, Talbot hit to Donnell for an out, Lord was safe on Fraser's fumble, but Swift fanned.

Third Inning.—Chapman hit to pitcher, Eaton fled out to center, and Woodman hit to Davidson.

Fraser easily retired Bates when he fanned Thurston and Davidson and caused Duncan to pop up a fly to Woodman.

Fourth Inning.—Bradford fanned and Fraser fouled out to first, but Phillips tripped to right. Donnell walked, and McElwee was hit by the pitcher. Goodskey hit to pitcher.

McDonald fled out to McElwee, Fuller to Phillips, and after Butler had received Fraser's only walk, Talbot fanned.

Fifth Inning.—Chapman fled out, Eaton hit to short stop, Woodman walked, and Bradford fled out.

Lord singled, this being Bates' first hit, and Swift fouled out to Eaton. Thurston hit to Donnell who threw out Lord at second. Davidson singled to second and on Duncan's grounder Donnell's throw pulled Eaton off the bag. Eaton quickly threw home and on a very pretty play Bradford caught Thurston at the plate.

Sixth Inning.—Fraser hit to second, Phillips fled out to center and Donnell hit to pitcher.

For Bates McDonald was out on a great throw

by McElwee and a fine stop by Eaton. Fuller fanned and Butler hit to Fraser.

Seventh Inning.—McElwee singled and advanced to second on Goodskey's sacrifice. Chapman singled, McElwee scoring. Eaton fanned, Chapman stole second and Woodman grounded out.

Bates' followers woke up when Talbot and Lord both singled and reached third and second respectively. Fraser fanned Swift and Thurston fouled out. Then Davidson came through with a line drive to left, scoring Talbot and Lord. Phillips threw to Donnell who caught Davidson at second. Two runs.

The next two innings both teams went out in one, two, three order. The score:

BOWDOIN						
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Phillips, lf	2	0	1	3	1	0
Donnell, 2b	2	2	0	1	3	1
McElwee, ss	3	1	3	1	3	0
Goodskey, cf	4	0	0	1	1	0
Kelley*	0	1	0	0	0	0
Chapman, 3b	4	1	2	1	1	1
Eaton, 1b	4	0	0	11	1	0
Woodman, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Bradford, c	3	1	0	8	1	0
Fraser, p	3	0	0	0	3	1
Totals	28	6	6	27	14	3

\*Ran for Goodskey in 1st.

BATES						
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Duncan, 2b	4	0	0	4	1	0
MacDonald, ss	4	0	0	0	1	0
Fuller, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Butler, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Talbot, cf	4	1	1	4	0	0
Lord, c	4	1	2	3	3	0
Swift, 1b	3	0	0	15	1	2
Thurston, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Davidson, p	3	0	2	1	8	1
Totals	32	2	5	27	16	3

Bowdoin ..... 3 2 0 0 0 1 0 0—6

Bates ..... 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—2

Three-base hit, Phillips. Sacrifice hits, Donnell, McElwee, Goodskey, Fraser. Sacrifice fly, Phillips. First base on balls, off Fraser 1, off Davidson 6. Struck out, by Fraser 7, by Davidson 3. Stolen bases, Lord, McElwee, Kelley, Chapman. Wild pitch, Davidson. Hit by pitched ball, by Davidson, McElwee. Time, 2 h. Umpire, McInnis.

### TUFTS 7, BOWDOIN 3

Friday afternoon Bowdoin lost the first home game of the season to Tufts by the score of 7 to 3. The White was held scoreless up to the ninth in-

ning when with the aid of a few opportune singles and an error she scored three runs. There was fast fielding by both sides and the two pitchers were very effective. For Bowdoin, Donnell knocked out three hits and fielded well, while Westcott covered much territory in the field for Tufts. His catch in the seventh and one by Goodsky in the sixth inning were features of the game. The Tufts team played like a professional machine, and the Bowdoin team played nearly as well. Bradford and Phillips were out of the White line-up and detracted not a little from her effectiveness. The game resolved itself quickly into a pitcher's battle and Stanley performed well for the Polar Bears.

## TUFTS

	bh	po	a	e
Stafford, 2b	1	2	3	1
Westcott, cf	2	8	0	0
Lee, 3b	0	2	4	0
Volk, 1b	1	16	0	0
Leland, rf	1	0	0	0
Carroll, c	1	3	1	0
Armstrong, ss	1	1	3	0
Angell, lf	0	0	0	0
Krepps, p	2	0	3	0
Totals	9	27	14	1
	bh	po	a	e

## BOWDOIN

Kelley, rf	0	2	0	0
Donnell, 2b	3	0	2	0
McElwee, ss	0	0	3	2
Goodsky, cf	0	3	0	0
Chapman, 3b	1	1	1	1
Eaton, 1b	0	8	0	0
Woodman, lf	0	1	0	1
Merrill, lf	0	1	0	0
Stuart, c	0	7	1	0
Stanley, p	1	1	1	0
Totals	5	24	8	4
Innings	1	2	3	4
Tufts	0	1	0	1
Bowdoin	0	0	0	0

Runs made, by Westcott, Leland 2, Carroll 2, Armstrong, Krepps, Donnell, Stuart, Stanley. Three-base hit, Westcott. Stolen bases, Stafford, Westcott, Leland, Carroll 2, Armstrong, Goodsky, Chapman. Base on balls, by Krepps, by Stanley 3. Struck out, by Krepps 3, by Stanley 6. Passed ball, Stuart. Time, 1h. 50m. Umpire, Daley.

## COLBY 3, BOWDOIN 2

After holding the lead for most of the game, Bowdoin lost to Colby in a twelve-inning battle at Waterville Saturday. The score was 2 to 1 in Bowdoin's favor in the last of the ninth, and two

men were down when Wyman secured a base on balls, Allen followed up with a hit, and by means of an error, Wyman reached home, tying the score. The same Allen, in the twelfth, pounded out a home run, giving the game to Colby.

Simpson scored for Colby in the first inning. In the second, Goodsky brought in a run for Bowdoin, but was severely injured in the head and in the leg, between third and home, so that he will be laid out for awhile. In the next inning, Kelley gave Bowdoin the lead when he scored. Until the ninth, there were no more runs. Both Fraser and Wright were pitching well. In the nine innings, Wright fanned seven Bowdoin batters, while Sam Fraser struck out nine during the whole game

## COLBY

	ab	r	1b	po	a	e
Simpson, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Campbell, 2b	4	0	1	4	4	0
Lafleur, 3b	5	0	0	1	3	0
Deasy, c	5	0	3	13	3	1
Fraser, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Bliss, rf	1	0	0	0	1	0
James, cf-p	5	0	0	1	1	0
Smith, 1b	3	0	0	14	2	0
Duffey, ss	2	0	1	0	0	0
Wyman, ss	1	1	0	0	0	0
A. Fraser, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wright, p	3	0	0	0	4	0
Allen, cf	1	1	2	1	0	0
Totals	39	3	8	36	18	1

## BOWDOIN

	ab	r	1b	po	a	e
Kelley, 2b	4	1	0	0	4	0
Donnell, 3b	5	0	1	1	7	1
McElwee, ss	5	0	0	1	0	1
Chapman, c	5	0	2	9	0	1
Eaton, 1b	5	0	0	20	0	0
Goodsky, cf	0	1	0	1	0	0
Stanley, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Woodman, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Merrill, lf	5	0	1	0	0	1
Fraser, p	5	0	1	1	8	0
Totals	41	2	7	33	19	4

\*Winning run with no one out.

Colby ..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—3  
Bowdoin ..... 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2  
Earned runs, Colby 2. Home run, Allen. Stolen bases, Simpson, Campbell, Smith, Kelley, Chapman 2, Stanley, Fraser. Struck out, by Wright, 7 in 9 innings; by James, 6 in 3 innings; by Fraser, 9. Double plays, Duffey, Campbell and Smith. Wild pitch, James. Passed ball, Deasy 2. Base on balls, off Wright, 3; off Fraser, 2. Sacrifice hits, Campbell, Woodman. Umpire, Gregory. Time, 2h., 43m.

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### Endowment Insurance for the College

The Senior class has under consideration a plan which is an innovation at Bowdoin College. This is the taking of endowment insurance for the benefit of the college. Under this plan each member, or a few members, will be insured for whatever amount the class determines upon and at the maturity of the policy, planned for the 25th reunion, the face value will be paid to the college.

Such a plan cannot be too highly commended. If every class should continue this as a custom the endowment of the college would be materially increased. Furthermore each member of the class, through those twenty-five years, would be bound closer to the college and to his own class. It too often happens at present that the enthusiastic loyalty of the first half dozen years after grad-

uation yields to the press of business. This plan would be one way, and a very practical one, for promoting individual interest in aid of the college. The only need would be the prompt payment of the premiums when they fall due.

Such an endowment should not be unduly restricted. If the class is broad-minded enough to wish to create a fund for the college, it should be broad-minded enough to contribute the funds for the best interests of the college.

An objection to this plan is that a man, having paid for this insurance, would be unwilling to subscribe to future funds in time of need of the college. But with the present large endowment any great need is but a remote possibility, and this plan, if adopted, will in due time increase the college funds appreciably. Finally, the cost of the proposed insurance would not be sufficient to interfere with obtaining sizeable funds, as in the past, if necessity should arise.

### Keeping the Coach off the Bench

The recent decision of the Athletic Council to keep the coach off the bench in all championship games in which our opponents do the same is the most satisfactory action that that body could have taken. If our opponents wish to keep the coach from the bench, we should be willing to meet them half way. But there is no reason why we should sacrifice our own chances of success by banishing the coach when our opponents do not wish to cooperate.

### BOWDOIN VS. MAINE

At the time the ORIENT went to press yesterday, Bowdoin was playing Maine on Whittier Field. The lineup available at the last minute was as follows:

Bowdoin.—Phillips lf, Donnell 3b, McElwee ss, Chapman c, Eaton 1b, Kelley 2b, Merrill cf, Woodman rf, Pendleton or Stanley p.

Maine.—Lawry 2b, Pendleton ss, Hackett lf, Gilman 1b, Ruffner rf, Rowe 3b, Baker c, Phillips cf and Driscoll probably pitcher.

### THE SECOND TEAM LOSERS

Kents Hill defeated the Bowdoin second team at Kents Hill Wednesday afternoon, 4 to 3. Errors by Bowdoin at critical points lost the game. Hight pitched excellent ball throughout the contest. The summary:

	R H E
Kents Hill .....	0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 2—4 11 3
Bowdoin 2nd .....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0—3 7 4

Batteries: Hight '16 and Stuart '17; Collins and Gately.



## INTERCOLLEGIATES SATURDAY

The 21st annual Maine Intercollegiate track and field meet will be held in Waterville Saturday. Preliminaries for some of the events will be held in the forenoon and the finals start at 2 P. M. A special train for the Bowdoin contingent accompanied by the band will leave the station at 7.15 Saturday morning, fare for the round trip \$1.35; with stop-over privileges, \$2.15. Bowdoin's victory over Tech last Saturday indicates a fighting chance for first place. While Maine will undoubtedly cut in on the weights which have been Bowdoin's stronghold, we should score in these events.

Maine and Colby are reputed to be particularly fast in the distances while Bates has two good sprinters. If the Bowdoin runners can do as well as they did in the Tech meet they should be able to place in every race.

The one need of the team will be the presence of a large body of enthusiastic supporters. Adjourns will be given Saturday to all those who are going to the meet. On to Waterville and first place.

## INTERFRATERNITY BASEBALL

## BOWDOIN CLUB 13, BETA CHI 11

The Bowdoin Club defeated Beta Chi 13 to 11 in a loose but hotly contested baseball game Thursday afternoon on the Delta. Beta Chi tied the score in the seventh inning but the Bowdoin Club came back strong in the eighth and put across four runs. Larrabee and Fenning did effective work for the winners, while Richardson's home run drive to the pines featured for Beta Chi. The score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	T
Bowdoin Club .....	3	2	1	1	0	0	2	4	13
Beta Chi .....	3	1	0	2	0	0	3	2	11

Batteries: Thomas '16, Larrabee '16 and Fenning '17; Curran '18 and Grant '18. Umpire, Rogers '15.

## BETA THETA PI 10, PSI Upsilon 7

The Betas took the Psi U's. into camp by the score of 10 to 7 Friday morning in a sunrise game. Free hitting was a feature of the work of both teams, but the Betas hit more when hits meant runs. Robinson played well in left field for the winners, and Keene caught and pitched a consistent game for Psi U's. The score:

	1	2	3	4	5	T
Beta Theta Pi .....	4	0	4	2	x	10
Psi Upsilon .....	4	3	0	0	0	7

Batteries: Brown '15 and Carll, Medic '18; Boardman '16, Keene '17 and Keene '17, Wing '15. Umpires, Holt, Medic '18 and Nute '17.

LEAGUE STANDING  
Division A

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Beta Theta Pi .....	2	0	1.000
Zeta Psi .....	1	0	1.000
Psi Upsilon .....	1	1	.500
Delta Kappa Epsilon .....	0	1	.000
Alpha Delta Phi .....	0	2	.000

## Division B

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Delta Upsilon .....	1	0	1.000
Theta Delta Chi .....	1	0	1.000
Bowdoin Club .....	2	1	.667
Kappa Sigma .....	0	1	.000
Beta Chi .....	0	2	.000

## PROPOSED CONSTITUTION OF THE

## GENERAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

## ARTICLE 1.—NAME

The name of the Association shall be The General Alumni Association of Bowdoin College.

## ARTICLE 2.—MEMBERSHIP

SECTION 1. All graduates of the College shall be members of the Association and entitled to be present at all meetings and to vote, except as hereinafter provided.

SECTION 2. All holders of honorary degrees, or graduates of the Medical Department of the College, all past and present members of the faculty who are not graduates of the College, and all men who have been in residence at the College without having graduated, shall be associate members of the Association, entitled to be present at all meetings without the right to vote.

## ARTICLE 3.—OFFICERS

SECTION 1. The officers of the Association shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, and the Alumni Council.

SECTION 2. The President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting of the Association, and serve for three years, or until their successors are chosen.

SECTION 3. The Alumni Council shall consist of fourteen members: one to be elected by the Boards of Trustees and Overseers from among their members; one to be elected by the faculty from its members; and twelve to be elected by the General Alumni Association. Of these, four shall be chosen each year to serve for a period of three years, and no member of the Council shall be eligible for reelection until at least a year has elapsed from the expiration of his term. Election shall be by ballot, and shall be made at the time when nominations for Overseers are made. Nominations for election to the Council shall be made by a committee to be appointed at the annual

meeting of the Association, which committee shall nominate at least twice as many candidates as there are vacancies.

#### ARTICLE 4.—DUTIES OF OFFICERS

SECTION 1. The duties of the President shall be to preside at the annual meeting of the Association, to appoint necessary committees, and to perform other duties usually connected with the office.

SECTION 2. The duties of the Vice-President shall be to preside in the absence of the President, and to fill the office of President in case of the death or incapacity of the President.

SECTION 3. The duties of the Secretary shall be to keep written minutes of the meetings of the Association, to send out all formal notices and all ballots as required by the vote of the Association, and to fulfill the other usual duties of the office.

SECTION 4. The duties of the Treasurer shall be to take charge of all funds of the General Alumni Association, to pay all bills, and to fulfill the other usual duties of the office.

SECTION 5. The duties of the Alumni Council shall be to act as an executive committee of the Association, and to represent the alumni in all instances where it may be necessary. The Alumni Council shall elect its own officers and make its own by-laws.

#### ARTICLE 5.—FEES

There shall be an initiation fee of one dollar, payable by the members of the graduating class at their Commencement. No graduate of the college, graduating after 1915, who shall not have paid this initiation fee will be entitled to vote.

#### ARTICLE 6.—ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Association shall take place Commencement Week, the time and place to be appointed by the President; and shall receive the reports of the officers and of the Alumni Council, appoint necessary committees, and transact such other business as may be expedient.

#### ARTICLE 7.—AMENDMENTS

This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of members present at the annual meeting, provided notice of the proposed amendment has been given to members of the Association at least one month prior to such meeting.

#### BOWDOIN WINS N. E. ORATORICALS

Ramsay '15 was awarded the first prize in the contest at Amherst last Wednesday of the New England Intercollegiate Oratorical League. Honorable mention was given to Willoughby '15 of Wesleyan. The award was on the basis of composition and delivery of an original oration. The speakers in the contest and their subjects were:

"The Boy Scout," Reber '16 of Amherst; "The World's Debt to Belgium," Ramsay '15 of Bowdoin; "Our Policy of Armament," Willoughby '15 of Wesleyan; "Roman Aristocrats," Keller '15 of Williams.

Professor W. H. Burnham of Clark, Professor I. S. Winter of Harvard, Professor Sidney N. Morse of Willston Seminary and Professor Walter D. Briggs of Trinity were judges.

At a business meeting of the league the following officers were elected: C. D. Kepner of Williams, president; G. H. Lane of Amherst, vice-president; R. D. Fuller of Bowdoin, secretary-treasurer.

#### IBIS LECTURE THURSDAY

Under the auspices of the Ibis, Professor Alfred L. P. Dennis of the University of Wisconsin will lecture here next Thursday. His subject is a most pertinent one at the present time, "The Historical Influence of America on Europe." Professor Dennis, now head of the department of European History at Wisconsin, was formerly a member of the Bowdoin faculty. He came here in 1901, and during his three years as professor of History and Political Science, he was very popular with the student body. He has also taught at Harvard and the University of Chicago.

#### BOSTON ALUMNI GATHER

The Bowdoin Club of Boston met at the University Club Friday evening. The speakers included Coach Campbell of the football team and Coach Magee of the track team. Both emphasized the need of a training table. A number of the track men were present.

#### CELEBRATE TRACK VICTORY

The victory over Tech was celebrated in a manner highly approved of by writers of college stories. A roaring bonfire in front of the chapel and a parade around the campus led by an impromptu band aroused half the college. There was a snake dance to the railroad station where a rousing reception was given to the track and baseball teams, returning on the "midnight" trains. MacCormick '15 led the cheering. Leadbetter '16, mounted on a baggage truck, told the story of the meet in a vivid style, and each member of the team was roundly cheered.

#### MUSICAL CLUB ELECTIONS

The annual elections of the Musical Clubs were held Tuesday noon. Haseltine '17 was elected leader of the Glee Club; Kelley '16, leader of the Mandolin Club; Fuller '16, manager of the Musical Clubs; Ross '17, assistant manager.

## COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

The official program for Commencement Week, which was announced last week, contains two changes over previous programs. The graduation exercises of the Medical School, which have been customarily held on Wednesday morning, will be combined with the usual academic exercises of Thursday morning. One new event is listed, the meeting of the class secretaries on Wednesday morning. The complete program:

## SUNDAY, JUNE 20

Baccalaureate Sermon by President William DeWitt Hyde in the Congregational Church at 4 P. M.

## MONDAY, JUNE 21

Alexander Prize Speaking in Memorial Hall at 8 P. M.

## TUESDAY, JUNE 22

Class Day exercises of the graduating class in Memorial Hall at 10 A. M., and under the Thorne Oak at 3 P. M.

Meeting of the Trustees in the Classical Room, Hubbard Hall, at 2 P. M.

Meeting of the Overseers in the Lecture Room, Hubbard Hall, at 7 P. M.

Senior Dance in the Gymnasium at 9 P. M.

## WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23

Annual meeting of the Phi Beta Kappa Fraternity, Alpha of Maine, in the Alumni Room, Hubbard Hall, at 11 A. M.

Baseball game, Alumni vs. Varsity, on Whittier Field at 11 A. M.

Meeting of the class secretaries in the Chemical Lecture Room, Searles Science Building, at 11.30 A. M.

Annual meeting of the Alumni Association at 1.30 P. M. in the Sargent Gymnasium, preceded by a buffet lunch at 12.30.

Outdoor presentation of *As You Like It* by Masque and Gown at 4 P. M.

Band concert on the campus at 7.30 P. M.

Reception by the President and Mrs. Hyde in Hubbard Hall from 8 to 11 P. M.

## THURSDAY, JUNE 24

Commencement Exercises of the College and the Medical School in the Congregational Church at 10.30 A. M., followed by Commencement Dinner in the Gymnasium.

The Reunion Trophy, presented by David William Snow, Esq., '73, and now held by the Class of '88, will be awarded to the class that secures the attendance of the largest percentage of its members.

## DELTA UPSILON HOUSE PARTY

The Delta Upsilon house party was held last Friday and Saturday. On Friday evening the chapter received at the fraternity house, and later held a dance. On Saturday the New Meadows River trip was taken, with a shore dinner at Gurnet. In the evening there was an informal dance.

The patronesses were Mrs. Harvey Allen, Mrs. Allen Howe, Mrs. Belle Knowlton, Mrs. James Perkins, Mrs. Joseph Stetson and Mrs. Herbert Thompson. At the reception Mrs. Furbish served punch, Mrs. William MacCormick, ice cream and Mrs. Lewis poured tea.

Among the guests were the Misses Marguerite Hutchins, Ruth Nearing, Ruth Lovell, Helen Snow, Marjorie Strout and Evelyn Swett of Brunswick, Elizabeth Connor of Portland, Hazel Lane, Leone Golder and Dorothy Newell of Lewiston, Ruth Moore and Ruth Morrill of Saco, Nellie Lauder and Esther Simpson of Farmington, Bernice Williamson and Madeline Winter of Kingfield, Avis Letchieq of Brewer, Mildred McFadden of Lubec, Barbara French of Salem, Mass., Eleanor Bradlee of Malden, Mass., Aline Tarbell of Hudson, Mass., Evelyn Fowler of Springfield, Mass., Helen Douglass of Providence, R. I., and Marjorie Yates of Boise, Idaho.

Lovell's orchestra furnished the music. Hall catered. The committee in charge of the house party consisted of Perkins '15, Tackaberry '15, Pettingill '16, Creeden '17 and Freese '18.

## FINAL EXAMINATIONS

## Tentative Schedule

A. M.	P. M.
Thursday, June 10	
Economics 4b	German 2
English 10	German 4, 14
Surveying 2	English 6
Friday, June 11	
Latin B, 2, 6a	Philosophy 2
Physics 6	Botany 1
Chemistry 4	
Saturday, June 12	
French 2, 4, 6, 8	Chemistry 2, 6, 8
	Italian 2
Monday, June 14	
Economics 2, 10	English 2
Zoölogy 4	History 10
Biblical Lit. 1	Chemistry 8
Music 4	
Tuesday, June 15	
English 14	History 2
Pol. Sci. 2	Latin 4a
	History 8

	German 12
	Zoölogy 2
Wednesday, June 16	
Math. 2, 4	Music 2
English 18	Art 2
	Psychology 2
	Mineralogy 1
Thursday, June 17	
Physics 2	History 4
German 6	Physics 4
Philosophy 4	
Friday, June 18	
Economics 6	
English 11	
Greek B	

### CALENDAR

- May
- Colby at Brunswick.
  - Tufts at Medford—Baseball and Tennis.  
T. D's. vs. D. U's.  
Lecture by Professor Dennis under the auspices of the Ibis.
  - Tennis vs. M. I. T. at Cambridge.  
Betas vs. Dekes.  
Interscholastic Tennis Matches at Brunswick.
  - Maine I. C. A. A. at Waterville.  
Interscholastic Tennis, continued.
  - Kappa Sigs vs. Beta Chi's.  
N. E. Intercollegiate Tennis Matches at Longwood.
  - Zetes vs. Psi U's.
  - Maine at Brunswick.  
Trials for Alexander Prize Speaking.
  - T. D's. vs. Bowdoin Club.
  - A. D's. vs. Dekes.
  - N. H. State at Brunswick.  
N. E. I. C. A. A. at Tech Field.

### Club and Council Meetings

A. Keith Eaton has been elected Senior class marshal in place of H. Alton Lewis, who has resigned.

The Athletic Council met Thursday evening and approved the tennis match at Wesleyan, May 31. On recommendation of the track committee the Council voted that the track captain, if a member of the cross-country or relay team, shall automatically be captain of that team. If not, he shall have authority to appoint an acting captain of that team. Track letters were awarded to the men winning first places in the dual meet with Bates. Irving '16, Wood '16 and Savage '18 received track letters for the first time, while Capt.

McKenney '15, McWilliams '15, Leadbetter '16, Monlton '16 and Sampson '17 of last year's squad received letters again. The Council also approved that the postponed Bowdoin-Maine baseball game should be held Monday, May 10.

### With the Faculty

At the twelfth annual meeting of the New England Modern Language Association at Boston University last Saturday, Professor Ham read a paper on "Modern German History and the Authorities on It."

Professor Mitchell spoke at a teachers' convention at Waterville Friday. He also spoke at Hebron on Sunday.

Professor Hormell will give his illustrated lecture on the Battle of Gettysburg at Thornton Academy some time this month.

Mr. Langley was in Boston over Saturday and Sunday.

Dean Sills will represent the college at the meeting of the Association of Deans of New England Colleges at the University of Maine to be held this week.

Professor McConaughy will speak on Friday at the Merrimac County Teachers' Convention at Manchester, N. H.

Dr. Gross will assist Dr. Copeland for a part of the summer in his research work at the Marine Biological Laboratory at Woods Hole where the college has obtained a table for this year.

Professor Brown is taking the part of the Duke de Longueville in the production of *When Knighthood Was in Flower* by the Portland Players at the Jefferson Theatre this week.

Professor Files was elected president of the New England Modern Language Association at its recent annual meeting in Boston.

### On the Campus

The placards for the Maine meet are the largest yet.

Livingston '15 taught at Topsham High School last week.

Dole '13, Mitchell '14 and Simpson '14 were on the campus last week.

Macdonald '18 left college today for the remainder of the year.

Senior caps and gowns made their first appearance Sunday at chapel vespers.

As Memorial Day falls on Sunday this year, adjourns will be given Monday, May 31.

The May issue of the *Quill* will appear next week.

The Debating Council will have a banquet at



New Meadows shortly after the Inn opens.

Dean Sills entertained the class in English 8 at the Hotel Eagle last week.

The Y. M. C. A. Cabinet had an informal feed at Major's last night.

Psi Upsilon and Zeta Psi are to have house parties at Ivy time.

Last Tuesday 18 major and 28 minor warnings were given to the first year men.

The schedule of final exams for the Medical School has appeared. The exams start on June 9 and last until the 27th.

Phillips '17, who wrenched his knee in the Bates game last Wednesday, is now able to be back in the field again.

Three postponed interfraternity baseball games have not yet been played off: D. U's. vs. B. X's., T. D's. vs. Kappa Sigs, and Dekes vs. Zetes.

Brunswick High defeated Lewiston High, 13 to 3, on Whittier Field Wednesday and were beaten by Thornton Academy, 6 to 1, Saturday.

A large number of Bowdoin men attended the presentation of "Bud, the College Duke," at Lewiston last night. Fuller '16 played the leading role.

Twenty Freshmen spoke Thursday in the preliminary trials for the Alexander Prize Speaking. Ten of these will be selected to compete with the ten Sophomores and ten Juniors already selected.

The Tufts team had ten minutes to catch the train after the game Friday. There was not time to change their uniforms, and they were taken to the station in a wagon.

The final trials for the Alexander Prize Speaking will be held next Wednesday afternoon. The exact time assigned to each of the thirty candidates will be announced later.

"Squanto" Wilson '13, who has been in league baseball ever since he graduated, will play on the Portland New England League team this season.

Examinations for the removal of incompletes are now being held.

The sixth annual dinner of the Alpha Delta Phi fraternity was held in Portland April 29. Dr. Gerrish, Bishop Codman, Ramsey '15 and Langdon '13, travelling secretary of the fraternity, were among the speakers.

The Cleveland Cabinet on the second floor of Massachusetts Hall is being thoroughly renovated. Painting and cleaning have been going on, new furniture is to be installed and new labels are being put on the collections of minerals and curiosities.

In the third round of the tennis tournament, Head '16 defeated Baxter '16, 6-3, 6-0; Ladd '16 defeated Flynt '17, 6-3, 6-1; Larrabee '16 defeated Woodman '16, 6-4, 7-5; and Card '15 defeated Nickerson '16, 6-4, 6-4. In the semi-finals Head plays Ladd and Larrabee plays Card.

The attention of the College is called to the fact that all Juniors, Sophomores and Freshmen must sign in for their electives for next year before Thursday, June 10, and that all Sophomores must register their Majors also before that day. The

College requires that students must submit their courses chosen for their Majors to the head of the department in which the Major is taken for approval, and provides also that the student must consult with the department in which the Major is taken concerning his Minors. The professors in charge of the different departments will be very glad to have students consult them in regard to their Majors and Minors at as early a date as possible.

## Resolutions.

Brother Galen Clapp Moses, of the class of 1856, died at his home in Bath on Patriot's Day, April 19. He enjoyed the distinction of having been the manager of a large and successful business enterprise for a continuous period of fifty years, and won the gratitude of his fellow townsmen by erecting at his own expense a public library and a building for the Young Men's Christian Association. He had been a member of the Board of Overseers of the College for thirty-five years, and at the time of his death was its president. He had also served many years as a member of the Finance Committee. He was one of the oldest surviving members of the Bowdoin Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi, and one who never lost his interest in and love for the fraternity.

(Signed)

BOWDOIN CHAPTER OF ALPHA DELTA PHI.

## Alumni Department

'99.—After a long illness, Philip Choate Haskell died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Frank I. Haskell, in Lewiston last Wednesday. Mr. Haskell had been at the Hebron Sanitarium for two years and was brought to his mother's home about a week ago. He was born in Westbrook October 21, 1877, and fitted for Bowdoin in the Westbrook schools. Mr. Haskell was assistant postmaster of Westbrook from 1903 to 1905, following this he went into the silk manufacturing business. At the time he was taken ill two years ago, he was superintendent of a silk mill in Wilkesbarre, Pennsylvania. He married Miss Ethel Long Kingston, whose courage and cheerfulness made his long illness much easier to bear. Besides his wife and mother, the deceased is survived by two brothers, Walter F. and Roger, of Westbrook, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Files of Haverhill, Massachusetts, and Miss Edith Haskell of Westbrook.

'12.—Lyde F. Pratt of Farmington, who will complete three years of graduate study in chemistry at Johns Hopkins University, with the degree of Ph.D., in June, has accepted an offer to become instructor in organic chemistry at the University of Vermont.

'14.—Robert D. Leigh has been appointed instructor in Government at Reed College for next year. He expects to receive an A.M. degree at Columbia in June.

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## BOWDOIN WINS SECOND PLACE

By winning nine firsts and tying another, the University of Maine easily won the 21st annual Maine Intercollegiate Track and Field Meet at Colby Saturday, with a score of 60½ points. The contest for second place furnished the most excitement, for it was only after Savage of Bowdoin won the low hurdles that Bowdoin was sure of this place. Bowdoin scored 32 points, Colby came third with 27, while Bates was completely outclassed with five and a half points.

Weather conditions were fine, but the poor condition of the track made the establishing of any new records practically impossible. In the field events, however, three new state records were made, Bailey of Maine making one in the hammer throw and another in the discus, while Palmer of Maine broke the present record of 5 feet, 8¼ inches in the high jump with a jump of 5 feet, 10 inches. Bailey threw the hammer 162 feet, 2¼ inches, bettering his record of last year which was 161 feet, 7¼ inch. In the discus throw he did 127 feet, 7½ inches, the old record by Gove of Bates being 126 feet.

Coach Magee is to be congratulated on the performance of the team representing the White. The work of the whole team was excellent, especially that of Savage and Webber in the hurdles. Bowdoin placed in every event except the mile, the two mile and the broad jump.

The prettiest race of the afternoon was the mile run which was finally won by Bell of Maine in 4 minutes, 26-2-5 seconds. For the best part of the race Bell and Wunderlich of Maine led with Thompson of Colby and Lane of Bates close behind. Thompson at the finish with a fine sprint passed Wunderlich and nearly caught Bell who beat him by a foot. Cutler of Bowdoin ran well, but failed to place.

In the half mile race Crosby of Bowdoin pushed Dempsey of Maine hard and it was only by a fine sprint that the Maine man was able to win over the Bowdoin runner. Golden of Colby ran a fast race, finishing third in a race that was timed at two minutes flat.

McWilliams of Bowdoin overcame a lead in the 440 yard dash, only to be beaten for first place by Merrill of Colby who passed him a few yards from the tape. Webster of Colby came third.

Howe of Colby easily won the 100 yard and the 220 yard dashes as he had no one to push him. In both these events Wyman of Bowdoin ran very pretty races. Captain Small of Bates showed up well in the furlong.

The 220 yard hurdles proved to be the surprise of the afternoon. Dopesters had given the race to either Royal of Colby or French of Maine but Savage of Bowdoin upset all these ideas when he skimmed over the hurdles a winner. In this race he was leading French of Maine by about a foot when the latter took a bad fall on the last hurdle and was unable to finish.

Webber of Bowdoin also surprised the followers of the White when he finished close behind French of Maine in the 120 yard hurdles. Coleman of Bates scored third in this event.

Owing to the bad condition of the take-off no new record was made in the pole vault as had been expected. Here Captain McKenney of Bowdoin tied with Hutton of Maine for first honors at 10 feet, 10 inches. Williams of Maine and Drew of Bates tied for third place.

In the running high jump Bowdoin scored two men. First place went to Palmer of Maine with Wood of Bowdoin and White of Bowdoin capturing second and third places.

The hammer throw went to Captain Bailey of Maine, with Gulliver of Maine, second, and Leadbetter of Bowdoin third.

The two mile was a pretty race in which the heady running of Preti of Maine won. In this event the lead see-sawed between Preti of Maine and Wenz and Levine of Colby. Preti worried his opponents and on the seventh lap Wenz was forced to leave the track. Preti opened up and beat Levine of Colby easily, who was followed by Herrick of Maine. Irving ran a strong race for Bowdoin, finishing fourth.

Allen of Maine won the shot put with a heave of 42 feet, 3 and 8-10 inches. Bailey of Maine and Leadbetter of Bowdoin tied for second.

The broad jump was captured by French of Maine, Rowe of Maine coming second, with Keaney of Bates third.

In the discus throw Bailey again shone with a throw of 127 feet, seven and a half inches. Moulton of Bowdoin was second and Joyce of Colby, third.

In the morning trials Bowdoin qualified the most men, Simonton and Pirnie, the two Freshmen, both showing up well.

The summary:

100 Yard Dash—First trial heat. Won by Lawry of Maine. C. Wyman of Bowdoin second. Time, 10 4-5 seconds. Second trial heat. Won by Small of Bates. Ferrill of Colby second. Time, 10 2-5 seconds. Third trial heat. Won by Howe of Colby. Leacock of Maine second. Time, 10 3-5 seconds. Semi-final heat. Won by C. Wyman of Bowdoin. Time, 10 4-5 seconds. Final heat. Won by Howe of Colby. C. Wyman of Bowdoin, second; Lawry of Maine, third. Time, 10 1-5 seconds.

220 Yard Dash—First trial heat won by Ferrill of Colby; C. Wyman of Bowdoin, second. Time, 23 4-5 seconds. Second trial heat won by Howe of Colby; Butler of Bates, second. Time, 23 2-5 seconds. Third trial heat won by Small of Bates; Pirnie of Bowdoin, second. Time, 23 2-5 seconds. Semi-final heat won by C. Wyman of Bowdoin. Time, 23 4-5 seconds. Final heat won by Howe of Colby; Small of Bates, second; C. Wyman of Bowdoin, third. Time, 22 3-5 seconds.

440 Yard Dash—First trial heat won by Lawrence of Bates; McWilliams of Bowdoin, second; Webster of Colby, third. Time, 53 seconds. Second trial heat won by Connors of Bates; Simonton of Bowdoin, second; Merrill of Colby, third. Time, 54 seconds. Final heat won by Merrill of Colby; McWilliams of Bowdoin, second; Webster of Colby, third. Time, 52 2-5 seconds.

880 Yard Run—Won by Dempsey of Maine; Crosby of Bowdoin, second; Golden of Colby, third. Time, 2 minutes.

1 Mile Run—Won by Bell of Maine; Thompson of Colby, second; Wunderlich of Maine, third. Time, 4 minutes, 26 2-5 seconds.

Two Mile Run—Won by Preti of Maine; Levine of Colby, second; Herrick of Maine, third. Time, 9 minutes, 57 seconds.

120 Yard Hurdles—First trial heat won by French of Maine; Coleman of Bates, second. Time, 16 2-5 seconds. Second trial heat won by Webber of Bowdoin; Royal of Colby, second. Time, 17 seconds. Final heat won by French of Maine; Webber of Bowdoin, second; Coleman of Bates, third. Time, 16 2-5 seconds.

220 Yard Hurdles—First trial heat won by Savage of Bowdoin; Quimby of Bates, second. Time, 26 2-5 seconds. Second trial heat won by French of Maine; Hammerschlag of Colby, second. Time, 28 1-5 seconds. Third heat won by Quimby of Bates. Time, 27 seconds. Final heat won by Savage of Bowdoin; Royal of Colby, second; no third man finished. Time, 26 3-5 seconds.

Running High Jump—Won by Palmer of Maine; Wood of Bowdoin, second; White of Bowdoin, third. Height, 5 feet 10 inches. (New record.)

Running Broad Jump—Won by French of Maine, 22 feet, 3 inches; Rowe of Maine, second, 20 feet, 10 3/4 inches; Kearney of Bates, third, 20 feet, 9 1/2 inches.

Pole Vault—First place a tie between Hutton of Maine and McKenney of Bowdoin, 10 feet, 10 inches; third place a tie between Drew of Bates and Williams of Maine.

Hammer Throw—Won by Bailey of Maine; Gulliver of Maine, second; Leadbetter of Bowdoin, third. Distance, 162 feet, 2 1/4 inches. (New record.)

Shot Put—Won by Allen of Maine; Bailey of Maine and Leadbetter of Bowdoin, tied for second. Distance, 42 feet, 3 8 inches.

Discus Throw—Won by Bailey of Maine; Moulton of Bowdoin, second; Joyce of Colby, third. Distance, 127 feet, 7 1/2 inches. (New record.)

#### MAINE 10, BOWDOIN 3

The decisive but unsatisfactory defeat which the Bowdoin baseball team suffered at the hands of the University of Maine on May 10 was a sad blow to many defenders of the White. With the exception of one disastrous inning, Bowdoin's team played good ball but the scoring of one session by the Maine players made the game safe for them. In the sixth, with the score a tie and with Maine runners on second and third bases, Rowe hit to McElwee. Ruffner, who was on second, ran to third and was tagged while standing on the base by McElwee. McElwee then tagged Gilman who had started home but Umpire Daley called only Gilman out, allowing Ruffner the base, whereas it was claimed both men were legally out. After this decision Maine made seven runs. It was reported that Bowdoin would protest Umpire Daley's decision, but those in charge of the team say that no such action will be taken. Donnell's excellent fielding and Driscoll's effective work in the box were features of the game. The summary:

	MAINE				
	ab	bh	po	a	e
Lawry, 2b .....	3	1	1	0	2
R. A. Pendleton, ss .....	3	0	0	3	1
Gorham, lf .....	2	0	0	1	0
Hackett, lf .....	3	3	0	0	0
Gilman, 1b .....	4	0	9	0	1
Ruffner, rf .....	5	0	0	0	0
Rowe, 3b .....	4	1	2	2	0

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Baker, c	2	0	9	1	0
Reardon, c	2	0	6	0	0
Mangold, cf	3	0	0	0	0
Driscoll, p	3	0	0	5	0
Totals	34	5	27	12	4

## BOWDOIN

	ab	bh	po	a	e
Phillips, lf	4	1	1	0	0
Donnell, 3b	4	0	2	4	0
McElwee, ss	4	1	6	3	2
Chapman, c	3	0	3	1	2
Eaton, 1b	3	1	11	1	1
Merrill, cf	2	1	0	1	0
Woodman, rf	3	1	0	0	1
Allen, rf	1	0	2	0	0
Kelley, 2b	4	0	2	5	3
R. W. Pendleton, p	2	0	0	2	1
Fraser, p	1	0	0	2	0
Totals	31	5	27	19	10

## Innings:

Maine	1	0	1	0	0	8	0	0	0	—10
Bowdoin	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	—3

Two base hit, Merrill. Stolen bases, R. A. Pendleton, Gorham, Reardon, Chapman 2, Woodman 2, McElwee, Merrill. Sacrifice hits, R. A. Pendleton, Gilman, Chapman, Eaton. Left on bases, Maine 4, Bowdoin 5. First base on errors, Maine 6, Bowdoin 3. First base on balls, off Driscoll 2, off Pendleton 5. Hits, off Pendleton 3, off Fraser 2. Struck out, by Driscoll 14, by Pendleton 1, by Fraser 2. Wild pitches, Driscoll, Pendleton. Umpire, Daley. Time, 2.20.

## COLBY 12, BOWDOIN 7

Errors in the first and ninth innings defeated Bowdoin in the second Bowdoin-Colby game of the state series at Brunswick Wednesday. Colby started the game by scoring five runs on two hits and five errors in the first inning. In the last half of this inning Bowdoin scored two runs on one hit assisted by two errors. After the first inning both teams settled down and played good ball for seven innings. In the third McElwee scored on a wild pitch. La Fleur in the fifth inning made one of the longest hits that has ever been made on Whittier Field when he drove a ball to the top of the center field fence. The ball bounded back into the field and he was able to make only three bases on it. In the second half of the same inning Phillips knocked a home run over right field fence.

In the ninth Bowdoin went to pieces and Colby scored five more runs before the home team could find itself. Bowdoin started the second half of the ninth by a batting rally that forced James to replace Wright on the mound. Colby's lead was

too great to be overcome and the visiting team won by a margin of five runs. The playing on both sides was with a few exceptions decidedly mediocre. Stanley pitched a better game than Wright and during the whole game with exception of the two weird innings, the first and ninth, the Bowdoin team showed as much ability as did the Colby representatives.

## COLBY

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Simpson, lf	4	1	0	1	0	0
Campbell, 2b	4	2	0	2	5	0
La Fleur, 3b	4	4	2	3	2	3
Deasy, c	5	2	3	3	3	0
Allen, rf	5	1	3	1	0	0
James, cf-p	5	1	0	3	0	0
Smith, 1b	4	1	0	12	0	0
Duffy, ss	3	0	0	2	3	0
Wright, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Fraser, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0

Total	37	12	8	27	15	3
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## BOWDOIN

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Phillips, lf	4	1	2	1	0	2
Donnell, 3b	5	1	1	0	1	2
McElwee, ss	5	1	1	4	6	2
Chapman, c	4	1	1	6	3	2
Eaton, 1b	3	0	1	13	0	0
Merrill, cf	3	0	0	2	1	0
Woodman, rf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Kelley, 2b	4	1	0	1	0	3
Stanley, p	4	1	1	0	6	1

Totals	36	7	9	27	17	12
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## Innings:

Colby	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	5	—12
Bowdoin	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	—7

Two base hits, Allen, Donnell. Three base hit, La Fleur. Home run, Phillips. Stolen bases, Deasy, James, McElwee, Chapman, Eaton, Merrill. Earned runs, Colby 1, Bowdoin 1. Sacrifice hits, La Fleur, Duffy, Wright. Double play, Duffy to Campbell. Left on bases, Colby 3, Bowdoin 5. First base on errors, Colby 9, Bowdoin 3. Bases on balls, off Wright 3, off Stanley 1. Hit by pitcher, by Stanley, Simpson. Struck out, by Wright 4, by Stanley 4. Wild pitches, Wright 2. Passed balls, Deasy, Chapman. Umpire, Daley. Time, 2.15.

## FIRST OUTDOOR RALLY

The first outdoor rally of the season was held on the Art Building steps Thursday evening, preparatory to the state meet. The band, from the nearby stand, rendered several selections. The speakers were McKenney '15, McWilliams '15 and Coach Magee. MacCormick '15 led the cheering.

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## Following the Team

The men who followed the track team to Waterville Saturday gave ample evidence that they were behind the team every minute of the time. Those men, many of whom, riding on the "bumpers," put themselves to personal discomfort, or who, riding in the more orthodox method, put themselves to financial loss, certainly possess that college loyalty which in most men needs no stimulant. But those who took advantage of the adjourns to go to Portland are lacking in loyalty to the college and the team. When the next opportunity comes for the undergraduate body to give its support to the team we trust that no rival attraction will prove stronger.

## A Training Table

At a recent meeting of the Bowdoin Club of Boston the track and football coaches spoke of the need of a training table. No one who has the slightest knowledge of track or football can doubt that good condition is essential to success on the field, or that a training table is an important factor in that good condition. We hope that next fall may see a permanent and well managed training table for football and cross country, and that this may be continued in the spring for track, and if need be, for baseball.

## A Cinder Track

College papers have been accused of filing their columns almost entirely with matter that has to do with the athletic field,—with the results of past games and contests and with prophecies as to future contests. It may be that the ORIENT has been as guilty as other papers, if guilt this be, but we fail to see what could be of more interest to our readers, both undergraduates and alumni, than what is happening on Whittier Field or the fields of our opponents. And in consideration of the fact that our track team has just defeated Tech and for the first time in five years has finished better than third place in the Maine inter-collegiate, we may perhaps be pardoned if we dwell upon a subject in which every track man in college is vitally interested.

Whittier Field should be equipped with a cinder track. The present track of clay is slow and heavy. In wet weather the track is slippery; in hot weather it borders upon the cement. The rare medium between hot and wet weather which puts the track in good condition comes too seldom. We cannot depend upon the weather for our track. A good track is one of the necessities for fast times. Bowdoin's unexpected victory over Tech was due in part to the fast track on which the meet was held. If we are to have winning track teams we must have a fast track on which to train them. The track needs a solid foundation of "clinkers" covered by at least two or three inches of well rolled cinders, rather than the present sprinkling of cinders which will not remain after the first wind storm.

The state meet last Saturday was held on a track that was a disgrace to the college that owns it and to the association to which the college belongs. Next year the state meet will be in Brunswick. Let it be on a track that is up to the standard of the rest of our athletic equipment.

## STATE SERIES

Before the state series opened the Bates and

Bowdoin teams appeared to be best on paper. But Colby is leading with a perfect score of two games won. Bowdoin is in the cellar position. This is partly caused by the loss of Bradford at the opening of the series, and Goodsky who was injured in the Colby game.

Tomorrow Bowdoin plays its second game with Maine at Waterville and the following Wednesday, its third game with Colby at Waterville.

The standing:

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Colby .....	2	0	1.000
Maine .....	2	1	.667
Bates .....	1	2	.333
Bowdoin .....	1	3	.250

#### INTERFRATERNITY BASEBALL

KAPPA SIGMA 13, THETA DELTA CHI 8

The Kappa Sigs defeated the Theta Dels 13 to 8 Tuesday afternoon in a free hitting, loose fielding game. Corbett and Campbell each knocked the ball into the pines for a home run. The Theta Dels had a batting rally in the last inning, but the Kappa Sigs had too large a lead. Casper played a good game for the losers. The score:

R H E

Kappa Sigma .....	4	4	0	3	0	2	—13	10	7
Theta Delta Chi .....	0	3	0	1	0	0	—8	15	8

Batteries: Somers '15 and Floyd '15; Wood '16 and Campbell '17. Umpire, Bate '16.

DELTA UPSILON 15, BETA CHI 7

Directly after the game between the Theta Dels and Kappa Sigs, the D. U.'s administered a 15 to 7 defeat to Beta Chi. Grierson '16, who followed Allen '18 on the mound for D. U., pitched an almost air-tight game. The fielding of Richardson '16 and D. Peacock '17 was Beta Chi's strong point, while Rogers '15 was strong at the bat for D. U. Beta Chi had a batting rally in the fifth, but with the bases full and two men out, Grant '18 was caught off third. The score:

R H E

D. U. ....	4	4	0	1	5	1	x—15	11	5
B. X. ....	1	2	0	0	4	0	0—7	6	9

Batteries: Allen '18, Grierson '16 and R. Peacock '18; Hurlin '18, Curran '18 and Palmer '18. Umpire, Bate '16.

#### LEAGUE STANDING

##### Division A.

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Beta Theta Pi .....	2	0	1.000
Beta Psi .....	1	0	1.000
Psi Upsilon .....	1	1	.500
Delta Kappa Epsilon .....	0	1	.000
Alpha Delta Phi .....	0	2	.000

##### Division B.

Delta Upsilon .....	2	0	1.000
Bowdoin Club .....	2	1	.667
Theta Delta Chi .....	1	1	.500
Kappa Sigma .....	1	1	.500
Beta Chi .....	0	2	.000

#### INTERSCHOLASTIC TENNIS

The Interscholastic Tennis Tournament was held Friday and Saturday. The doubles and singles were both won by Edward Little High School. The individual star was Purinton of that school, who won the singles and was on the winning team in the doubles. The playing of Owen of Portland and Mitchell of Brunswick should also receive mention.

Doubles: Preliminary—Hebron (Tracy and Woodman) defeated Lewiston (Ireland and Purinton), 6-2, 7-5. First round—Edward Little (Purinton and Woodin) defeated Hebron, 8-6-3. Freeport (Miller and Tuttle) defeated Westbrook Seminary (Noble and Alcazin), 6-4, 6-Gorham (Russell and Smith) defeated Kent Hill (Dunnack and Dow), 5-7, 6-4, 6-2. Brunswick (Mitchell and Wass) defeated Portland (Stanwood and Gilson), 4-6, 8-6, 6-4. Second round—Edward Little defeated Freeport, 6-2, 6-4. Brunswick defeated Gorham, 6-3, 1-6, 7-5. Finals—Edward Little defeated Brunswick, 8-10, 6-0, 6-1.

Singles: First round—Owen of Portland defeated Russell of Gorham, 3-6, 6-0, 8-6. Mitchell of Brunswick defeated Tracy of Hebron, 6-2, 2-6, 6-3. Tuttle of Freeport defeated Chellis of Westbrook Seminary, 6-2, 6-1. Purinton of Edward Little defeated Ireland of Lewiston, 6-0, 6-0. Second round—Owen defeated Mitchell, 6-2, 8-6. Purinton defeated Tuttle, 6-0, 6-1. Finals—Purinton defeated Owen, 6-2, 6-1.

#### NEW ENGLAND INTERCOLLEGIATES

The New England intercollegiate track meet will be held at Tech Field, Cambridge, Friday and Saturday. Bowdoin will be represented by a team, the members of which have not yet been chosen. It is expected that the heavy scoring of the meet will be made by Dartmouth, Maine and M. I. T., but Bowdoin should be able to gather a few points.

#### IBIS LECTURE THIS WEEK

The ORIENT was misinformed concerning the date of the lecture by Professor Alfred L. P. Denis to be held under the auspices of the Ibis. It will take place this next Thursday night in Memorial Hall at eight o'clock. Professor Denni

t will be, "The Historical Influence of  
ca on Europe." The public is invited to at-

### ALEXANDER SPEAKING TRIALS

The final trials for contestants in the Alexander Prize Speaking will be held in Memorial Hall tomorrow afternoon. The following will participate in the trials: From 1916: Edwards, Foster, Fuller, Garland, Ireland, Leadbetter, Noble, Parsons, Sayward, Winter. From 1917: Achorn, Chapman, Creeden, Eaton, Miller, Moran, Philip Ross, Shumway, Willey. From 1918: Albion, E. Gray, Jacob, Matthews, Mooers, Norton, Payne, Roper, Sanderson, J. Thomas.

### A BOWDOIN UNION

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

One of the most prominent conditions which presents itself to an observer of undergraduate activities at Bowdoin College is the lack of opportunity which exists for students to gather for informal sociability in an all-college way. Here is a social need whose importance has long been recognized, but one whose satisfaction until this time has never been seriously undertaken. In an editorial from the ORIENT of May 3, 1899, the following comments on this situation are made:

is good and healthy for students to get together and discuss things which interest the college as a whole; but they will not unless there is a convenient and suitable place. Such a hall as is needed should be connected with some building where students naturally go for comfort and social enjoyment; a building not associated with recitations, lectures and examinations, but with relaxation, indoor games and reading. In short, the college has reached that stage in its development where it needs to have special provision made for some things which a college was formerly thought to have little or nothing to do with. It is not simply a hall then, that is needed, but a building of moderate size containing such a hall. The building should be recognized as a student building; there should be in it a reading room; a room with facilities for quiet games of chess and checkers; one or two small rooms for meetings of committees; a room with billiard and pool tables; and other features which readily suggest themselves. The building of chapter houses is an additional reason for a building such as has been outlined. The only disadvantage to be feared from the growth of chapter houses at Bowdoin is the tendency which they will have to separate groups of students from contact with the college as a whole...."

Although written sixteen years ago, this edi-

torial is more adequate to the subject now than ever, because the demand for a Union increases with the rapidly developing variety of undergraduate interests. The spirit of a Union requires a separate building for its development, but as the construction of a new building for this purpose is not a present possibility, we could turn the old gymnasium to splendid account. A study of the possibilities of the old gym makes plain the fact that the building will lend itself readily to comfortable and attractive arrangement. At an expense of \$5000 the present floor could be divided into three rooms of ample proportions; one for billiards and cards, one with a large fireplace, bookshelves and piano, for lounging, and a third which could be used either as a part of the lounging room, or shut off and used for meetings and rehearsals. The flooring of the old track provides excellent opportunity for the location of a number of small offices where the administrative departments of the various undergraduate activities would be concentrated in a definite and convenient location.

As typical of the best in college life, the Union should have an active appeal to every Bowdoin man. Sketches showing the proposed arrangement of rooms will soon be posted in the Library. Look them over, and make your ideas known.

MILES E. LANGLEY.

### CHANGES IN ENGLISH COURSES

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

Course 9 will be dropped next year, and the following changes will be made in the arrangement and numbering of my other courses:—

Courses 15, 16: English (with some American) literature of the nineteenth century; Wordsworth, Carlyle, Emerson, Tennyson, Longfellow, Browning and others. To alternate with Courses 13, 14, below. For Sophomores, and Juniors and Seniors who have not had the present Course 14.

Courses 17, 18: Shakespeare. To alternate with Courses 19, 20, below. For students who have had the present Course 13.

[Courses 13, 14: English literature from the beginning to Gray and Burns; especially Chaucer, Spenser, Elizabethan drama, Shakespeare, Milton, Pope. To be given in 1916-17. For Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors. Required of students majoring in English.]

[Courses 19, 20: Carlyle, Emerson, Browning. To be given in 1916-17. Only for students who shall have had Courses 15, 16, above.]

G. R. ELLIOTT.

### SENIOR PLANS

A recent census of the Senior class as to their



plans for work after receiving their degrees shows that 23 will enter business pursuits, 11 will teach, 11 are undecided, 8 will take up law, 7 will study medicine, 6 will enter the ministry, 6 will do graduate work, 2 will take up some branch of engineering, 2 will become industrial chemists and one will enter the field of agriculture. The detailed choices are as follows:

Adams, teaching; Aitchison, ministry; Allen, undecided; Austin, teaching; Bacon, law; Butler, ministry; Bodurtha, teaching; Brown, business; Card, business; Chatto, engineering; Coffin, graduate work in art and English at Princeton; Cooley, engineering; Coombs, business; Cox, business; Cristy, medicine; Cutler, ministry; Demmons, teaching; Dow, agriculture; Dunton, undecided; Eastman, business; Eaton, business; Ellwell, undecided; Evans, will attend the General Theological Seminary of N. Y.; Farrar, business; Fessenden, business; Floyd, undecided; Hall, business; Hamel, medicine; Hastings, teaching; Hildreth, teaching; Jones, graduate work in business administration at Harvard; Keegan, law; Knowlton, medicine; Koughan, teaching; Kuhn, undecided; Lappin, business; H. A. Lewis, teaching; J. A. Lewis, law; Livingston, undecided; Loring, business; Lynch, business; McCargo, business; MacCormick, graduate work in Education at Columbia; MacDonald, will study at Union Seminary; McKenney, undecided; McKinnon, business; McWilliams, graduate work; Mannix, medicine; Melcher, business; Melloon, law; D. K. Merrill, undecided; I. C. Merrill, undecided; Morrison, medicine; Moulton, medicine; Perkins, industrial chemistry; Porritt, graduate work in business administration at Harvard; Prescott, teaching; Ramsay, business; Richardson, undecided; Ricker, graduate work in History at University of Pennsylvania; Roberts, teaching; Robinson, teaching; Rodick, business; Rogers, law; Rollins, law; Smith, business; Somers, business; Stetson, undecided; Stone, medicine; Tackaberry, law; Talbot, law; Threlfall, ministry; Verrill, business; West, business; Wing, law; Woodbury, industrial chemistry; Wright, business.

## With the Faculty

In the public health campaign this week Dr. Whittier addressed meetings at Bangor and at Lewiston. Sunday he spoke before a meeting of men and boys at Bangor and Monday afternoon he spoke at Lewiston on "Municipal Sanitation."

Professor Davis who is a member of the examining committee at Kent's Hill Seminary, addressed the seminary last Tuesday.

## On the Campus

Weick '16 is confined with the measles.

Edgar O. Achorn '81 was *on the campus* last week.

The Elijah Kellogg tablet has been set in place on the west side of Massachusetts Hall.

Weston '12 and Abbot '13 were *on the campus* last week.

Chase '18, Curran '18 and Libbey '18 were initiated into Beta Chi Thursday evening.

The Freshman Orchestra will play at the Church on the Hill Friday night.

Some of the new furniture for the Faculty room in the Cleveland cabinet has arrived.

The Dean will be glad to confer with any of the Seniors who desire a good business opening in the fall.

Eighty-five students now have overdue books from the Library, and are requested to return them at once.

A play entitled "The Doll Girl" by Coffin '15 will be presented at the Church on the Hill Friday evening.

The stories for the Hawthorne prize given by Kate Douglass Wiggin are to be handed in by June 1.

The tennis match scheduled with the Portland Country Club for May 8 was postponed on account of rain, until next Saturday.

Bradford '17 has gone home with an attack of scarlet fever. He will be kept out of the baseball game for the rest of the season.

The May issue of the College Bulletin, containing the reports of the President, Dean and Librarian, is now in the hands of the printer.

Only half of the recipients of scholarships have signed for the second semester. The others are asked to do so at once.

The Zeta Psi Circle for May contained an account of the Portland Players, telling of the work of Professor Brown and Crowell '13.

In the Maine Intercollegiate track meets, Bowdoin took fourth place in 1913, third in 1914, and second in 1915. At this rate, what will it be in 1916?

The Masque and Gown presents *Jack Straw*, the Ivy play, at Rockland tomorrow evening.

Lovell's Orchestra has been secured for the Ivy dance.

Alpha Rho and Psi of Kappa Sigma, the Bowdoin and Maine chapters, held a joint banquet at the Elmwood Hotel in Waterville Saturday evening after the track meet. Cutler '15 and Moran '17 were the speakers from Alpha Rho.

The Visiting Committee of the Boards of Trustees and Overseers will be *on the campus* tomorrow.

row. This committee discusses and recommends the college appropriations for the coming year. It is made up of Samuel V. Cole '74, William T. Cobb '77, Frederick O. Conant '80, John A. Morrill '76 and George E. Bird.

Read *ex-vir* was on the campus last week. He will enter Annapolis, the U. S. Naval Academy, this spring. He was alternate, but because of the principal's illness, he received the appointment from Congressman Hinds. He passed the preliminary examinations and will report on June 7.

Postponed interfraternity games between the Dekes and Zetes, T. D's. and D. U's. and the A. D's. and Psi U'S. remain to be played off.

## Resolution

HALL OF ETA OF THETA DELTA CHI.

May 16, 1915.

Eta learns with regret of the untimely death of Brother Philip Choate Haskell of the class of 1899. While in college, Brother Haskell was prominent in all branches of college life, athletic, social and literary. Since graduation he had been in silk manufacturing in his native town, Westbrook. He also served as assistant postmaster of Westbrook.

Therefore, feeling that Bowdoin has lost a loyal alumnus and the fraternity a devoted brother, Eta Charge extends its sympathy to his bereaved family and his many friends.

DANA KINSMAN MERRILL,  
ARTHUR ELDRIDGE LITTLEFIELD,  
KENNETH GEORGE STONE,

*For the Charge.*

## Alumni Department

Bowdoin was prominently represented at the State Conference of Congregational Churches recently held at Augusta. Among the speakers were Lucilius A. Emery '61 of Ellsworth, not long retired from the highest judicial position in Maine; Wilbert G. Mallett '91, principal of the Farmington State Normal School, and Reverend Frederick Parker '97 of Sherman Mills.

Judge Emery delivered an address on the subject: "Should the Churches Organize Against Party Slavery and Social Sins?" He maintained that the church organization should not engage in a crusade against political sins, dividing his argument into three parts: first, it does not seem necessary to employ the church organization in such work, as other organizations exist for the sole purpose of combating such evils; second, it is inadvisable for the church organization to wage war on these things; third, the church organization ought not to undertake the work. In conclu-

sion, Judge Emery said: "I would not restrain pastors, church officers, or members, as individuals, from advocating and promoting any scheme that they deem to be for the welfare of their community or of mankind in general. There is ample scope for such action in other organizations, if organizations are desired, or if none such exist, they can be formed. I submit, however, that the church was not instituted nor its members appointed for the propaganda of any political, economic, sociological, or even moral doctrine, but so to develop and strengthen the spiritual nature of men that, as said by Paul, being ruled by the spirit, they will not need the rule of the law."

Principal Mallett spoke on "The First Step Toward Christian Unity—Coöperative Effort." He said that the greatest need was not so much the unity of religious organizations as an appreciation of the history of different sects so that estimations of values may be wisely made. He suggested that as the principle of competition is still present in the economic system, so it is in the religious organization, and said that in Russia only, where he would not care to live, is a single denomination all powerful. He defended the plan of freedom which allows all legitimate creeds and political parties to exist according to the following which their strength commands. Finally, turning from theory to practice, Mr. Mallett related successes in the coöperative efforts of various organizations, and pointed out possibilities apparent to him from experience in church activity.

Reverend Frederick Parker took as his subject, "An Aroostook Outpost," a story of his work in various Aroostook parishes.

Among the other speakers were Reverend Henry W. Webb '90, of Bucksport, and Reverend Chauncey W. Goodrich, pastor of the College Church in Brunswick.

'95.—Rev. Langdon Quimby, D.D., is pastor of the Congregational Church at Gardner, which burned Saturday night.

'10.—Frank Bernard McGlone, son of Francis Thomas and Mary (Sullivan) McGlone, died April 18 in New York City. He was born November 23, 1884, at Natick, Massachusetts. He received his early education in the public schools of that city, and was prepared for college at its high school. At Bowdoin he was a member of the Delta Upsilon Fraternity and the Deutscher Verein. He was prominent in musical activities, being a member of the Glee Club and the Chapel Choir. After graduation, he entered business, first at Lawrence, Mass., and subsequently in the employ of Sulzberger & Sons of Jersey City, N. J.

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## GENERAL THOMAS HAMLIN HUBBARD

General Thomas H. Hubbard, an attorney and financier of National prominence and one of the most famous living sons of Maine and of Bowdoin College, died at his home in New York Wednesday after a brief illness of less than a week's duration, erysipelas being the cause of death. He was in his 77th year. As a trustee of Bowdoin College since 1889 and donor of Hubbard Hall, the splendid library building at Bowdoin, and Hubbard grand-stand on Whittier Field, he was known to all Bowdoin men as the college's greatest benefactor and most influential living alumnus. As president of the Peary Arctic Club, General Hubbard was the leading spirit in the movement that made possible the discovery of the North Pole by Admiral Peary.

He was the son of one of Maine's governors, Dr. John Hubbard of Hallowell, and distinguished himself in service in the Maine troops during the Civil War, rising from the rank of first lieutenant to that of brigadier general. In all these capacities General Hubbard was well known in this state. In addition he was known nationally as commander-in-chief of the Loyal Legion, as president and director in many large corporations, mostly railroads, operating all over the country and even all over the world, notably the International Banking Corporation. He had been a well known figure in New York financial, legal and social circles for more than 40 years.

General Thomas Hamlin Hubbard was born in Hallowell, December 20, 1838, youngest child of Governor John Hubbard. He received his preliminary education in his home town and fitted for college at the academy there. He entered Bowdoin College in 1853 and graduated in 1857, standing high in his class. Bowdoin in 1860 conferred upon him the degree of A.M. and in 1894 the degree of LL.D. He was made an overseer of the college in 1874 and in 1889 he was raised to the board of trustees of which he remained an active and influential member to the time of his death. By his own large personal donations and by his influence with others he had been one of the greatest agents in improving the college's physical and educational equipment, in increasing its endowment and raising its prestige. He had been for many years president of the chapter of

Phi Beta Kappa, Alpha of Maine, at Bowdoin.

He first studied law in Maine and was admitted to the Maine Bar in 1860. He completed his legal education in the Law School at Albany, received the degree of LL.B. from that institution in 1861 and in the same year was admitted to the New York Bar.

In the fall of 1862 Mr. Hubbard returned to his native state to offer his services in suppressing the rebellion. He was mustered into service September 29, 1862, as first lieutenant and adjutant of the Twenty-Fifth Maine Volunteer Infantry. His first term of enlistment concluded July 11, 1863, and during this period he served with his regiment in Virginia, acting a part of the time as assistant adjutant-general and brigadier. After the regiment was mustered out he assisted in recruiting the Thirtieth Regiment of Maine Volunteers and was commissioned its lieutenant-colonel, Nov. 10, 1863. Proceeding with his regiment to the Department of the Gulf, he served through the Red River campaign and was in command of his regiment in the battle of Pleasant Hill, La., leading it also in the battles of Cane River Crossing and Marksville. He aided in the construction of a dam across the Red River at Alevandria, which was a means of saving a fleet of Federal gunboats, and received especial commendation for this service in the reports of Admiral Porter. He was instrumental in procuring the rapid passage of the army over the Atchafalaya River, May 13, 1864, when its progress had been checked by the destruction of bridges.

He was commissioned colonel of the Thirtieth Maine Volunteers May 13, 1864, and was present with his command in Virginia in the autumn of that year, the regiment becoming a part of the Third Brigade, First Division of the Nineteenth Army Corps. At different times during that year and the following he was in command of the brigade, and served in the Shennandoah Valley in the fall of 1864 in General Sheridan's army. He was ordered with his command to Savannah, Ga., in June, 1865, and there presided over a board to examine officers of the volunteer forces who desired to enter the regular army. Col. Hubbard was commissioned brigadier-general by brevet "for meritorious services" to rank from July 13, 1865, and was mustered out of the service soon



after that date.

In the fall of 1865, General Hubbard returned to New York and engaged in the practice of law in New York City, being for some time a partner of Charles A. Rappallo, afterwards a judge of the court of appeals. For many years afterward he was a member of one of the leading law firms of the metropolis, Butler, Stillman & Hubbard, which had a large clientele and conducted many cases involving great financial interests.

General Hubbard's aptitude in corporation law and his great energy and ability secured him a high position in his profession and also as a financier. As a natural result many of the later years of his life were devoted chiefly to the management of large corporations. He was vice-president and director of the Southern Pacific Company from 1896 to 1900, president of the Mexican International Railroad Company from 1897 to 1901, and of the Houston & Texas Central Railroad from 1894 to 1901. He was president of the Guatemala Central Railroad Company from 1901 to 1912, and had been president of the International Bank since 1905, and President of the board of the International Banking Corporation since December, 1904. He had been president of the Pacific Improvement Company since 1903. He was a director of the National Bank of Commerce; director and chairman of the executive committee of the Toledo, St. Louis & Western Railroad Company, and of the American Light and Traction Company; director and member of the executive committee of the Wabash Railroad Company, and the Western Union Telegraph Company; director and member of the finance committee of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, and a director of the Equitable Trust Company, Philippine Railway Company, and other corporations.

Until a few years ago he was also part owner of the *New York Globe*. He never sought political honors. Besides being a trustee of Bowdoin College, General Hubbard was a trustee of the Albany Law School.

He was a prominent member of the American Bar Association, and chairman of the New York State Bar Association's committee on legal ethics. He was vice-president of the New York County Lawyers' Association.

He was instrumental in the organization of the Peary Arctic Club, under whose auspices the expedition on which Admiral Peary discovered the North Pole was fitted out, and had been president of the club since 1908.

He was commander of the New York Commandery of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion from 1903 to 1906, and commander-in-chief

of the military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States in 1913.

He was president of the New England Society of New York from 1903 to 1905.

General Hubbard had taken a prominent part in the social life of the metropolis as well as in legal and financial circles, and was a prominent member of many clubs, among them the Union League, Century, Metropolitan, Republican, Army and Navy (of which he was vice-president), Riding, Down-Town and Lawyers.

Mr. Hubbard was married June 28, 1868, to Sybil A. Fahnestock of Harrisburg, Penn., who survives him. They had three children, one son, John Hubbard, and two daughters, Sybil E. and Anna W. Hubbard.

It is said of General Hubbard that he never looked his age. He was rather tall, of shapely figure, of erect, military bearing and step, and had a face of the sort that has sometimes been described as "finely chiseled," its every line and feature denoting high intelligence, refinement and character. He and a brother were in Bowdoin College together and Thomas graduated only a year or two prior to the outbreak of the rebellion, his present title having been earned by his four years' service in the war. "The two Hubbard boys," said a college contemporary not long ago, "were the most popular students in Bowdoin in their day. They were born gentlemen, both of them, and although they had the advantage of most of us in wealth and breeding and opportunities, they never exercised it, or even betrayed its possession—offensively.

"Tom, especially, was my beau ideal of a man—the kindest, sweetest, most chivalrous character that I have ever known, a Bayard 'sans peur, sans reproche.' When I met him in later life, a dignified, elderly, successful man of affairs, I must confess I saw little change in him from the boy of college days. He might not consider that a compliment, but I do, for few men of 70 preserve unimpaired, as he does, all the heartiness, generosity and sympathy of the boy of 18."

Collis P. Huntington, president of the Southern Pacific Companies, and Gen. Hubbard were closely associated in business and had shared each other's confidence, both in business and personally, to an extent not a little remarkable in these times. As a trained lawyer, of wide experience and representing the highest type of the profession, General Hubbard brought to Mr. Huntington's assistance in the management of his vast and sometimes complicated affairs a measure of skill, far-sightedness and judgment that is not easily procurable even in this era of high business-professional talent. As attorney and the



financial agent of the Hopkins-Searles interests, ramifying almost the entire field of Mr. Huntington's affairs, it was necessary for General Hubbard to recognize the community of interest existing, the harmony essential, and to preserve always and everywhere that delicate balance between them, the disturbance of which would have produced discord, litigation and disaster. Few men outside of their immediate associates fully understood how these two men worked together, or appreciated the extent to which General Hubbard for years past shaped the development of the Huntington properties.

#### PRESIDENT HYDE'S TRIBUTE

In referring to the death of General Hubbard, President Hyde said:—

"General Thomas H. Hubbard was the best friend Bowdoin College ever had. He carried its problems and interests constantly on his mind and heart, and his great benefactions, amounting to more than half a million dollars, came not in response to solicitation but as the spontaneous expression of his constant devotion. He was a brave and efficient soldier, an able and conscientious lawyer and business man, a generous supporter of a host of charities and reforms, a liberal benefactor to scores of persons.

"In his business and professional life he kept in mind as scrupulously as his own interests, the interests of clients, customers, patrons and consumers. His large fortune represented value rendered to those from whom it came, and his generous gifts expressed a personal identification with the causes and persons to whom he gave."

#### DOCTOR LITTLE'S TRIBUTE

Dr. George T. Little, the librarian of Bowdoin College, spoke as follows regarding the donor of the building in which the library is housed:

"The loss that Bowdoin suffers in the sudden death of General Hubbard is not merely that of a munificent benefactor but of an exemplar of manhood. To mention the one that his very title brings to mind, he is loyal to the core. Ready to give up his life for his country, as did his gallant brother, he lived for half a century thereafter with zeal and enthusiasm unabated for the welfare of his native land. Culture, travel, wealth, made him still more rather than less an American. Even more noticeable was his loyalty to his friends. He was bound to them and they to him with bonds that could not be broken. Yet high above these personal relationships was his innate loyalty to truth and righteousness. No man was more sincere and steadfast, no man more persevering in allegiance, more efficient in advocacy of what he deemed true and right."

#### MAINE 9, BOWDOIN 3

Wednesday at Whittier Field, Maine defeated Bowdoin 9 to 3 in a heart-rending game. Fraser pitched excellent ball until the team went to pieces and with good support the result might have been different. With the exception of Phillips every Bowdoin man who played nine innings had one or more errors scored against him.

MAINE						
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Lawry, 2b	5	2	2	1	7	0
Pendleton, ss	5	2	0	2	2	2
Hackett, lf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Gilman, 1b	5	1	1	13	1	0
Ruffner, rf	3	2	1	0	0	0
Rowe, 3b	4	2	0	0	3	0
Reardon, c	5	0	0	7	0	0
Gorham, c	5	0	2	2	0	0
Driscoll, p	5	0	0	1	1	0

Totals	42	9	6	27	14	2
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BOWDOIN						
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Phillips, lf	4	1	0	2	0	0
Donnell, 3b	4	0	1	0	1	2
McElwee, ss	4	1	1	1	4	2
Chapman, c	4	0	0	6	1	3
Eaton, 1b	4	1	2	15	0	1
Merrill, cf	3	0	0	0	1	1
Woodman, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stanley, rf	3	0	0	2	0	1
Humphrey, 2b	2	0	0	1	1	2
Minott, 2b	1	0	0	0	2	0
Fraser, p	3	0	0	0	3	1

Totals	33	3	4	27	13	13
Maine	2	0	0	4	0	9
Bowdoin	0	0	0	1	2	0

Two base hits, Lawry, Eaton. Three base hits, McElwee, Eaton. Stolen bases, Ruffner 2, Merrill. Earned runs, Bowdoin 1. Left on bases, Maine 10, Bowdoin 3. First base on errors, Maine 7, Bowdoin 2. First base on balls, off Fraser 7. Hit by pitcher, by Fraser, Ruffner. Struck out, by Driscoll 7, by Fraser 6. Umpire, Conway. Time, 1:52.

#### ALEXANDER PRIZE SPEAKERS

The following men have been chosen to compete at the Alexander Prize Speaking contest on Monday evening, June 21: Achorn, Colby, Eaton, Miller, Phillips, Willey 1917 and Matthews, Mooers and Sanderson of 1918. The alternates are Bowdoin '17, Grant '18 and Roper '18. The judges at the trials were Professor Ham, Professor Waterhouse and Mr. Wilder.

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## General Hubbard

In the death of General Hubbard the College has lost one of its strongest friends. The buildings which perpetuate his name are testimonials to the love he felt for Bowdoin, and an expression of his desire for the college to measure up to the highest possible standard. Though he graduated more than half a century ago his interest and his influence have been constant. The College mourns his loss.

## A Bowdoin Union

The advantages and disadvantages of a Bowdoin Union have been held forth to such an extent that a detailed discussion of them seems hardly

necessary. Suffice it to say, for the benefit of those who may be unfamiliar with the nature of such an institution, that a Union is a gathering place for undergraduates for recreation or for business. The value of a Union to a college like Bowdoin, with the various social interests caused by its fraternities, is great. The chief opposition comes from a fear that the Union would not be appreciated if built. Plans for the rebuilding of the Sargent Gymnasium, as the most suitable opportunity the college has for a Union, are attractive. If those who are behind the movement for a Union can secure the funds necessary to refit the old gymnasium in a tasty and serviceable manner they need have no fear that their efforts will lack undergraduate approval.

## Endowment Insurance

The Senior class has vetoed the plan of taking endowment insurance on the lives of one or more of its members as a means of establishing a fund which shall ultimately revert to the college. Such a course could easily be adopted by the graduating class from year to year to the substantial benefit of the college, but without noticeable embarrassment to the contributing men. In refusing to enter upon this plan the class of 1915 has lost the honor of being the originator of what we hope and believe will soon be the established policy of the graduating classes.

## Nominations and Elections

The time for nomination and election of Student Council, managers, *Bugle* Board, and various other more or less important undergraduate officers, is near. Nominations and elections have occasionally been made on the grounds of personal popularity rather than executive ability. In the coming nominations and elections let us have the men best fitted for the positions. "Fair play and may the best man win."

## THIRD PLACE IN N. E. MEET

Bowdoin's track athletes took third place at the New England Intercollegiate Meet, held on Tech Field Saturday, with a score of 20 5-6 points. Coach Magee's squad of 12 men pulled through the trials to a man and in the finals on Saturday did exceptionally well. Savage, a dark horse star of the meet, continued his remarkable record in the hurdles by capturing first place in both barrier contests, showing his heels to several experienced men. Captain McKenney tied for first in the pole vault with Williams of Maine. Leadbetter gathered in second place in the hammer throw and fourth in the discus. White tied for second

in the high jump and Wood gained a fraction of a point in a tie with two others for fourth place in the same event.

#### BOWDOIN 4, NEW HAMPSHIRE 1

Bowdoin defeated New Hampshire State College Saturday on Whittier Field, 4 to 1. The Bowdoin team showed a decided improvement over its work during the past games, making twenty assists and only one error, this coming in the ninth inning and not counting in the scoring.

The feature of the game was the fine fielding and batting of Shumway, Bowdoin's latest catcher. At all times Fraser and Stanley were effective for Bowdoin, but Bissell for New Hampshire was somewhat erratic, passing four men successively in the sixth.

New Hampshire State was the first to score when in the third inning after Irvine had drawn a base on balls, Humiston had sacrificed him to second and Broderick advanced him to third, Fernald singled, bringing Irvine across for the visiting team's lone tally.

Bowdoin didn't remain scoreless long for in the fourth inning Goodskey drew a base on balls. Eaton sacrificed Chapman, who was running for Goodskey, to second, and Chapman stole third. Then Shumway singled, scoring Chapman. The White got busy again in the sixth. Goodskey struck out, but Eaton doubled. Shumway was passed. Eaton was caught between second and third, Shumway reaching second. Woodman and Kelley both walked and on a passed ball Shumway scored. Fraser was passed, but Phillips ended the inning by way of pitcher to first.

Once more in the eighth session runs were made. Eaton flied out to right field, Shumway hit one to center for three bases. Bissell hit Woodman, and on a passed ball Shumway scored, Woodman reaching second. He went to third on a wild throw by catcher and crossed the plate when Kelley singled. This ended the run-getting for both sides.

#### BOWDOIN

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Phillips, lf .....	4	0	1	2	1	0
McElwee, ss .....	2	0	0	3	7	0
Chapman, 3b .....	3	1	0	0	2	0
Goodskey, cf .....	3	0	0	1	0	0
Merrill, cf .....	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eaton, lb .....	3	0	1	16	1	0
Shumway, c .....	3	2	2	4	2	0
Woodman, rf ....	2	1	0	0	0	0
Kelley, 2b .....	3	0	1	1	0	1
Fraser, p .....	2	0	0	0	6	0
Stanley, p .....	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals .....	27	4	5	27	20	1

#### N. H. S. C.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Fernald, cf .....	4	0	1	4	0	0
Cram, lb .....	3	0	1	9	0	0
Welch, c .....	4	0	0	3	3	0
Brackett, 3b .....	4	0	0	2	1	0
Bissell, p .....	3	0	0	0	4	1
Blatchford, 2b ....	3	0	0	1	2	1
Irvine, lf .....	2	1	0	0	0	0
Humiston, rf .....	2	0	1	2	0	0
Broderick, ss .....	3	0	0	3	3	0
Totals .....	28	1	3	24	13	2

#### Innings:

Bowdoin .....	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	x	—4
N. H. S. C. ....	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Two base hits, Phillips, Eaton. Three base hit, Shumway. Hits, off Fraser, 2 in 6 innings; off Stanley, 1 in 3 innings. Sacrifice hits, Humiston, Eaton. Stolen bases, Chapman, Woodman. Double play, Phillips to McElwee. First base on balls, by Fraser 2, Bissell 6. Hit by pitcher, by Bissell, McElwee 2, Woodman. Struck out, by Fraser, 2; by Stanley, 1; Bissell, 2. Passed balls, Welch 2. Time, 1:28. Umpire, Daley.

#### STANDING OF STATE SERIES

During the last week no changes have taken place in the positions of the four Maine colleges in the state series. Colby, however, strengthened her position on first place by beating Maine last Saturday. The game between Bates and Colby had no influence in the standing, since it resulted in a tie. Bowdoin sank lower into her position by losing to Maine Wednesday. Bowdoin played excellent ball last Saturday, however, and she is expected to make a good bid for the victory over Colby tomorrow at Waterville.

#### The standing:

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Colby .....	3	0	1.000
Maine .....	3	2	.666
Bates .....	1	2	.333
Bowdoin .....	1	4	.200

#### THE WEEK IN BASEBALL

With the marked improvement of our baseball team as shown in the New Hampshire game Saturday and with a change in line-up, our baseball team plays the last of its games with Colby at Waterville tomorrow. At the same time Bates will play Maine for the second time, at Orono. On Saturday we play the third of our games with Maine at Orono and Bates plays Colby the second game of their series at Waterville. By the end of this week, then, the dopesters can probably figure the outcome of the few remaining games.

Our line-up will be as it was Saturday with the exception that Donnell may be back in the game at his old position. Fraser will probably pitch at Colby and Stanley will twirl at Maine.

## SECOND TEAM PLAYS BATES SECOND

The Bowdoin second team will play Bates second tomorrow afternoon on Whittier Field. This is probably the last home game the second team will play this year and it should be supported well. The game will be called at 3.30.

Arrangements for the proposed game between the second team and the Rockland High team have fallen through and the game will not be played.

## INTERFRATERNITY BASEBALL

### KAPPA SIGMA 19, BETA CHI 8

Beta Chi lost its fourth game when the Kappa Sigs inflicted a 19 to 8 defeat upon them last Monday. The score was nearly tied until the sixth when three of the Beta Chi players were disabled and the team went to pieces. High pitched well for the Kappa Sigs, and nearly everyone came in on the hitting. Howard played a snappy game for Beta Chi, and Hart starred in the outfield.

Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Kappa Sigma	.....	2	0	3	0	3	8—19
Beta Chi	.....	1	0	2	2	1	2—8

Batteries: Somers '15, Hight '16 and Floyd '15; Curran '18 and Grant '18. Umpire, Nute '17.

### ZETA PSI 7, PSI UPSILON 2

The Zetes trimmed the Psi U outfit 7 to 2 in a snappy game Tuesday afternoon. Stetson held the Psi U's down to three hits. Keene, who followed Boardman on the mound in the third, allowed no runs. In the first two innings, Stetson knocked out a home run, while Knhn, Soule and Nevens all came in for three-baggers. Wing played a spectacular game for the losers.

Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Zeta Psi	.....	4	3	0	0	0	x—7
Psi U	.....	0	0	0	0	1	0—2

Batteries: Stetson '15 and Nevens '18; Boardman '16, Keene '17, and Keene '17, Wing '15. Umpire, Coombs '15.

### BOWDOIN CLUB 9, THETA DELTA CHI 3

The Bowdoin Club defeated the Theta Dels Thursday afternoon, 9 to 3. Thomas was effective on the mound and received good support. Parker starred for the Theta Dels at second.

	1	2	3	4	5	6
P. C.	.....	3	2	3	0	0—9

T. D. .... 1 0 2 0 0 1—3  
Batteries: Thomas '16 and Brewster '16; Beal '16 and Campbell '17.

## LEAGUE STANDING

### Division A

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Beta Theta Pi	3	0	1.000
Zeta Psi	2	0	1.000
Psi Upsilon	1	2	.333
Delta Kappa Epsilon	0	2	.000
Alpha Delta Phi	0	2	.000

### Division B

Delta Upsilon	2	0	1.000
Bowdoin Club	3	1	.750
Kappa Sigma	2	1	.667
Theta Delta Chi	1	2	.333
Beta Chi	0	4	.000

## MAINE INTERCOLLEGIATE TENNIS

The Maine intercollegiate tennis matches held at Brunswick this year started yesterday. The single matches were scheduled for yesterday, and the doubles for today, with the possibility that the matches will continue tomorrow. The representatives are: Bates, S. Meader, N. Meader, Richardson, Purington; Bowdoin, Card, Eaton, Larrabee, D. White; Colby, Flood, Fieldbrave, Foster, Ramsdell; University of Maine, Hall, Craighton, DeWitt, Ingalls.

## TENNIS MATCHES

On Friday, the 14th, the tennis team won from Tufts at Medford, 6-0, taking every match, both of singles and doubles. White (B) beat Burritt (T), 6-0, 6-2; Flynt (B) beat Lane (T), 6-2, 8-6; Larrabee (B) beat Wheeler (T), 6-0, 6-2; Card (B) beat Harrison (T), 6-4, 4-1 (second set stopped by shower). Card and White (B) beat Burritt and Wheeler (T), 6-2, 6-2; Flynt and Larrabee (B) beat Lane and Kraus, 6-3, 6-2.

The next day the team met Tech at Boston and lost. The matches were all but one taken by Tech. The scores were as follows: Woodbridge (T) defeated White (B), 7-5, 6-2; Newman (T) defeated Flynt (B), 6-2, 6-3; Richardson (T) defeated Card (B), 6-4, 8-6; Stuart (T) defeated Larrabee (B), 3-6, 6-0, 6-2. In doubles Stuart and Woodbridge (T) defeated White and Card (B), 6-4, 6-0; Flynt and Larrabee (B) defeated Newman and Richardson (T), 4-6, 7-5, 6-4.

At a meeting of the New England Intercollegiate Tennis Association at the Hotel Lennox, in Boston, Hoffman of Wesleyan was elected president; Woodman of Bowdoin, vice-president; and Niles of Trinity, secretary-treasurer for the coming year.



At the Intercollegiates at Longwood Card lost to Pray of Dartmouth, 6-3, 6-4; Larrabee won by default from Woodbridge of Tech; but lost to Edsall of Trinity, 6-4, 10-8. In doubles, Larrabee and Flynt drew bye in the first round, and in the second lost to Cutler and Maynard, Williams, 6-1, 6-1.

#### OUTDOOR INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET

Saturday at Whittier Field the 15th Annual Bowdoin Outdoor Interscholastic Meet will be held. Teams are entered from Wiscasset, Hebron, Kent's Hill, Leavitt, Good Will, Coburn, Morse, Lincoln, M. C. I., Bangor, Cony, Portland, Camden, English and Fryeburg. This will be the first team that Coburn has sent for several years. Altogether there are 140 entries, against 96 of last year. Hebron has 26 men entered, Portland 16, Coburn 15, Kent's Hill and M. C. I. 14 each. Trials will be held at ten A. M., and the finals at 2.15 P. M.

#### CLASS BANQUETS

The Sophomore class will hold its banquet at the Congress Square Hotel, Portland, on Friday, May 28. The committee in charge consists of Crehore, chairman, Creeden, Haseltine, Keene, McConaughy, Martell and True.

The class of 1918 will also hold its banquet on May 28. The Freshmen will dine at the West End Hotel in Portland. Their committee is composed of B. A. Thomas, chairman, Babbitt, Berryman, Brierley, C. D. Brown, Farnham, Gordon, Gray, MacIntosh, Matthews, Sanderson and Smethurst. Thomas will be toastmaster. Sanderson is in charge of the rest of the program.

#### "JACK STRAW" AT ROCKLAND

The Rockland *Courier-Gazette* of May 21, has the following account of "Jack Straw," which was given at the Empire Theatre, May 19:

"Bowdoin College Masque and Gown was honored with one of the finest audiences at Wednesday evening's appearance in this city and gave a performance of 'Jack Straw' that will remain noteworthy in the memory of those fortunate to be present. The play has figured successfully in London and New York, a farce with an original plot, clever situations and brilliant lines. The title role is the assumed name, as a waiter in a London hotel, of the Archduke of Pomerania, whose identity becomes established after a series of interesting and humorous situations have brought the other members of the cast into pleasing prominence. As the waiter, and later as the archduke, Richard S. Fuller '16, a Rockland boy, displayed exceeding versatility and

marked dramatic powers, and received at the hands of his home friends a very warm greeting.

"In the other male parts Philip S. Smith '15, Burton Stride '17, Romeyn S. Derby '18, Carl K. Ross '17, Don J. Edwards '16 and Lloyd O. Colter '18 gave an admirably balanced performance. Mr. Stride as 'Mr. Parker-Jennings' and Mr. Ross as 'Lord Serlo' doing some especially clever character work—though equal praise is merited by the other players, for there were no weak places in the well-balanced cast.

"Naturally a great deal of interest centers in the female impersonations that are a striking feature of college plays. This phase of Wednesday night's performance yielded the utmost satisfaction and delight. Ralph R. Melloon '15 as 'Lady Wanleigh' added new laurels to those that he won here last season in the part of 'Kitty.' Lowry A. Biggers '17 most ably presented 'Mrs. Parker-Jennings,' the part of her daughter 'Ethel,' with whom the archduke falls in love, being well sustained by Carleton M. Pike '17. Sydney M. Brown '17 was a good 'Rosie Abbott.'

#### BOWDOIN MEN AT HARVARD

The following graduates of the college have received scholarships from the Harvard Graduate School for next year: J. J. Stahl '09, Austin Scholarship; E. S. Purington '12, Whiting Fellowship; E. C. Gage '14, University Scholarship.

#### GERMAN DEPARTMENT

##### Courses for 1915-1916

1 and 2. Elementary German. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday. Div. A, 10.30; Div. B, 1.30; Div. C, 2.30. Professor Ham

3 and 4. Prose Composition and Reading. Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday. Div. A, 9.30; Div. B, 10.30. Prerequisites: German 2 or its equivalent. Professor Files

5 and 6. Prose and Poetry of the Nineteenth Century. Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 8.30. Prerequisites: Same as for German 3 and 4.

7 and 8. Goethe's Faust. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 11.30. Prerequisites: Courses 4 or 6. Professor Files

13 and 14. Contemporary German Drama. Tuesday, 2.30 to 4.40. Professor Files

15 and 16. Gothic. Three hours a week. Professors Files and Ham.

#### PROFESSOR DENNIS LECTURES

Last Thursday and Friday Professor Alfred L. P. Dennis, now of the University of Wisconsin, who was in the History department of Bowdoin from 1901 to 1904, and was largely instrumental

in the founding of the Ibis, visited the college under the auspices of that organization.

On Thursday he lectured in Memorial Hall on "The Influence of America Upon European Affairs." Beginning with the discovery of America, he traced the political, economic, social and diplomatic effects of relations of America upon the countries of Europe. On Friday evening he addressed a closed meeting of the Ibis at the D. K. E. house, speaking briefly of his recent travels in the war zone.

### With the Faculty

President Hyde represented the college at the funeral of General Hubbard in New York on Saturday.

Professor Nixon addressed the students of Edward Little High in Auburn last Tuesday, speaking on the advantages of a college education.

At the recent annual meeting of the Brunswick Public Library Association Professor Mitchell was elected a member of the book committee.

Professor Mitchell will deliver an address, "Making the Church Attractive," at the semi-annual meeting of the Brunswick and Harpswell Sunday School Association in the Church on the Hill this evening.

In the current issue of the *English Journal* there is an article by Professor Davis on "The Function of the Speaking Contest."

Dean Sills was present at the annual conference of the Association of Administrative Officers of New England Colleges at the University of Maine Thursday and Friday. At Orono also the Dean spoke on "Literature in the Dark Ages" at a meeting of the Arts Club on Friday evening.

Professor Davis visited the high schools at Rockland, Thomaston and Camden last week.

Professor Gross has been called to Pennsylvania by the death of Mrs. Gross' father.

Professor McConaughy has an article entitled "Social Aims of Education" in a recent issue of the *Journal of Education*.

Professors Burnett and Davis and Mr. Wass will take part in a musical at the Church on the Hill Thursday evening.

Dr. Whittier addressed the alumni on the athletic situation at Bowdoin and other matters connected with the college at the monthly luncheon of the Bowdoin Club of Portland Thursday.

Professor Hormell delivered his illustrated lecture on the Battle of Gettysburg at Thornton Academy Tuesday. He also spoke on the same day at Sanford High School.

Dean Sills and Professor Bell were delegates from St. Paul's Episcopal Church to the Diocese

Convention at Portland last week. Dean Sills was appointed a member of several committees by the convention.

Mr. Wass will give an organ recital at the Church on the Hill next Sunday evening at 7.15. All are invited.

### On the Campus

Hamburger '10 and Douglas '13 were on the campus last week.

The Dekes forfeited their baseball game with the Betas, scheduled for May 14.

A deputation composed of Kinsey '16, Churchill '16 and Albion '18 went to Bristol last week.

The chapel bell was tolled Saturday morning at ten o'clock in memory of General Hubbard.

McKinnon '15 has accepted a position in New York. He will return to college for Commencement.

There will be a joint cabinet meeting of the Christian Association at New Meadows Inn next Tuesday evening, June 1.

A catalog of the men who have attended Bowdoin but did not graduate is now being prepared and it will appear about the middle of next year.

Monday, May 31, is a holiday. Unexcused absences Friday, May 28, and Saturday, May 29, and Tuesday, June 1, will entail probation for six weeks.

Tickets for the Ivy play, "Jack Straw," will go on sale Monday afternoon from 1 to 5.30 in the Managers' room. The tickets are 50 cents and one dollar.

The Track Squad picture will be taken this afternoon at 3.45. All men who have participated in track work this year are requested to be present in uniform.

A song, *Somehow the Girl You Might Have Won, You Never Meet Again*, the music of which was composed by Brown '15 and Haseltine '17, has appeared recently. Copies are on sale at Thompson's.

The new Beta Chi pins have arrived. They are shield shaped, bearing in the center an open book, on the leaves of which are the letters "B X." There are three stars in the design and the Greek letters "A E X." The colors are black, white and gold.

The Examining Committee of the Trustees and Overseers spent several days on the campus last week. On this committee are Judge Lucilius A. Emery '61, Senator Charles F. Johnson '79, Rev. Edgar M. Cousins '77, Wilbert G. Mallett '91, Dean Alfred E. Burton '78 and Augustus F. Moulton '73.

## Alumni Department

'80.—A revised edition of "The Genealogy of the Conant Family" has recently been issued by Frederick Odell Conant.

'92.—Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Wathen, who have recently come to the Highland (Somerville, Massachusetts) Church, were given a largely attended reception as a welcome to their new parish.

'94.—The eleventh biannual report of the class of 1894 has been issued by the secretary, Charles A. Flagg of Bangor. Four members have died; of the forty-three who are living, thirty-seven are married, and have fifty-three children, of which twenty-seven are girls. The members of the class are engaged in the following pursuits: business 10, ministry 8, law 7, medicine 6, teaching 5, miscellaneous 7.

'98.—Rev. Hugh F. Graham, A.M., is now settled at Pitcher, N. Y.

'02.—Harold B. Eastman, a member of the firm of Eastman Brothers and Bancroft of Portland, and who was a member of the committee in charge of the recent May Day Carnival, has been elected president of the Retail Trade Bureau of the Portland Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Eastman was also elected a director of the bureau, and his election to the presidency of the bureau makes him also a vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce.

'09.—The wedding of Harrison Atwood of San Francisco, Cal., son of Mr. and Mrs. Tascus Atwood of Auburn, and Miss Lena I. Paul of Auburn, will take place at the home of Miss Paul's grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Paul, at eight o'clock on the evening of June 16. Mr. Atwood will leave California for Maine in the latter part of May. About two weeks after the wedding the bride and groom will start for San Francisco, where they will make their home.

'10.—Robert D. Morss is now permanently located in London, England, as the local representative of Messrs. Ginn & Company.

'11.—Invitations to the marriage of Miss Ethel Madeline Palmenteer to Arthur Collis Gibson in St. Paul's Church of Oakland, California, on the ninth of June, have been received in Brunswick.

'12.—The Bath Y. M. C. A. is being reorganized and improvements are being made in the building under the direction of the secretary, William A. MacCormick.

'14.—The first annual report of the class of 1914 has been published by the secretary, Alfred E. Gray of St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H. The men are engaged in the following occupations: business 21, advanced study 17, teaching 15, miscellaneous 3, undecided 4. The men are located in the following states: Maine 24, Massachusetts 24, New Hampshire 3, Connecticut 2, New York, California, Maryland, Ohio, Pennsylvania and Texas, one each. One marriage and two engagements are reported. A large part of the class is expected to attend Commencement. A reunion is being planned, and a picnic will be held on Wednesday of Commencement week.

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## "JACK STRAW"—IVY EVE

Last evening, at the Cumberland, the Masque and Gown presented "Jack Straw," the Ivy play. Fuller played the leading part of "Jack Straw" with marked ability, while Melloon as "Lady Wanley" reasserted his ability of last year to play a feminine part. The other characters were all good, and the play exceedingly well-balanced.

The cast of characters:

Jack Straw .....	Fuller '16
Count von Bremer.....	Edwards '16
Marquess of Serlo .....	Ross '17
Ambrose Holland .....	Smith '15
Mr. Parker-Jennings .....	Stride '17
Vincent Parker-Jennings .....	Derby '18
Lady Wanley .....	Melloon '15
Ethel Parker-Jennings .....	Pike '17
Rosie Abbott .....	Brown '17
Mrs. Parker-Jennings .....	Biggers '17

## THE 1916 BUGLE

Volume 70 of the Bowdoin *Bugle*, published by the Junior class, appeared this morning and is being read with vivid interest by the students and their guests. It is from first to last a great credit to the editor-in-chief, Sayward '16, and to his associates, particularly "Ye dauber," Kelley '16. The art work as a whole is of a high order, while Kelley's work, especially in the headings for the athletic departments, is one of the distinctive features of the book. Of the other artists whose work appears, Savage '18 shows considerable originality of idea and skill of execution. The book is attractively bound in black with a clever gold design on the cover. The work of the publishers both in binding and in press work is up to the usual high standard of the Journal Print Shop.

The volume is appropriately dedicated "to Senator Charles Fletcher Johnson, LL.D., of the Class of 1879, Distinguished Lawyer, Able Statesman, and Friend of Bowdoin College."

A pleasing feature of the book is the introduction of small individual pictures of the faculty. These pictures have not appeared in the *Bugle* for some years, during which time several new men have been added to the faculty.

The book contains the usual number of statis-

tics of college organizations and the information which makes it a valuable reference book. The more changeable part of the *Bugle*, the personal write-ups and the "grinds," are well up to the standard of previous volumes. The write-ups of the juniors are humorous and free from the bitterness and sting which often spoils college humor. The same spirit characterizes the "grind" department, which is unusually large. The jokes are clean and witty and are especially interesting because of the large number of men who are struck by the good-humored shafts of the jokes. The drawings in this part of the book are interesting and well done, while snapshots have been used with good effect to enliven the last pages.

The whole book contains 325 pages. It may well be used as a model by future *Bugle* boards for its editorial and managerial staff have produced a work of a high order of excellence. The men responsible for the work are: Dwight H. Sayward '16, editor-in-chief; Richard S. Fuller, manager; David F. Kelley, art editor; J. Scott Brackett, Kenneth T. Burr, Ora L. Evans, Herbert H. Foster, Edward P. Garland, E. Robert Little, Harry S. Thomas and Langdon R. White, associate editors.

## IVY DAY GAME---10.00 A. M.

This morning Bowdoin plays Bates at Whittier Field in its annual Ivy game. College tradition has it that the White has never lost this annual Ivy Day game with Bates.

## IVY EXERCISES—2.30 P. M.

### ORATION

Hayward Treat Parsons, the class orator, took for his subject "Modern Industrial Justice":—

In the first half of the 19th century we find England undergoing a series of industrial revolts, we find labor revolting against capital and demanding a readjustment of industrial conditions, a readjustment by which justice and not greed should determine the standard treatment of the employee by the employer. As a result of this industrial strife we find a man coming forward and evolving a doctrine of justice which is work-

ing itself out today in our own industrial life, a doctrine which, by this fulfillment in the present gives evidence that this man—Thomas Carlyle—had established his theory on the fundamental basis of truth.

For the cynic, for him who, with narrow-visioned eye looks in on human society, and viewing only the avarice existent between man and man, declares that true and complete justice is an impossible thing—for this depressing individual Carlyle manifested little patience. Today such a person will tell you that the square deal of the employer is unknown by the average employee; such a person will tell you that in many instances the justice of the employer has been returned by the injustice of the employee. But let us place this individual, as did Carlyle, among those who do not know "true justice from momentary expediency, do not see how justice melts all manner of vested interests and who do not realize that in the long run justice doth rule and reign and allows nothing else to rule and reign." From people of this class, who do not recognize these fundamentals we receive in the present and can expect in the future only a cynical and pessimistic view of life. But from those of us whom our friend the cynic will call rank idealists, from those of us who believe as did Carlyle that justice although it may be many times delayed some day or two, some century or two, yet in the last analysis is sure as life, is sure as death—from such of us may be expected an optimistic view of the progress which justice is now making in our own industrial life.

We in America have also had our industrial troubles, revolutions of labor against the tyranny of capital, against the length of the working day, against the conditions under which labor must pass that day and finally against that most fundamental of all labor complaints—the wage received at the end of that day. And in this last we have the basis of the whole disease, a disease which experience has proved incurable by any one single remedy, a disease of business in which the tissues must be cut away before the heart of industrialism is clearly exposed. And yet we have constantly been progressing, we have been cutting away the tissues, and gradually there has been evolved in the minds of the governing class a conception of justice which is ever seeking to free labor from the chains of serfdom under which it has suffered and has ever been furthering our attainment of the ideal. In the course of this progress labor has been given a clean workshop and a satisfactory working day and with the removal of these tissues we have been nearing the heart of the whole matter for after all the de-

mand of all labor in all time, as Carlyle says is a "fair day's wage for a fair day's work."

And we in the present are remarkably fortunate to be living in an age when the foundation rather than the outlying structure of the fortress is being assailed, when this diseased heart of business is being treated. We should be proud of an age in which this final justice is being comprehended, a justice which is awakening a new responsibility in the employer, a justice which is making labor the partner rather than the slave of capital.

Today we can point not only to our splendid governmental machinery which is ever seeking to better business conditions but also to definite examples of this development of justice in the capitalistic body itself. We can point to men, heroes of big business, in whose hearts true justice has asserted itself, men who because of this justice have won the affections of their employees, men like N. O. Nelson whose employees by virtue of his coöperation own one-fourth of the Nelson Manufacturing Co.; men like J. S. Baker of the Baker Manufacturing Co. in Evansville, Wisconsin, in whose company profits are divided between labor and capital in proportion to the earnings of each, all active employees being partners of the concern; men like Henry Ford who shares his profits annually with his employees. We can also point to concerns which have recognized a still deeper obligation, concerns which have made it possible for the laborer to be independent when his day of usefulness has passed, concerns which recognize the deeper justice of a fair life's wage for a fair life's work, concerns like the Harvester Co., The Bell Telephone Co., the U. S. Steel Cor., and many others which maintain a pension fund for use by employees whose age forces them to retire from active work.

And yet even with this evidence before us our friend the cynic will again come forward, will point to the exceptions and to the instances where employers have been moved by other motives than the desire for justice, but may none of us be influenced by his doubt. Let us look at this matter from the optimistic focus, let us recognize that industrial justice has been born, nurtured and is now nearing maturity: disturbed only a little by the growing pains to which the cynic points. With these things in view does it not seem that the road along which we have been travelling has ever been leading to the ideal, has ever been broadening into that highway of industrial justice and honesty along which employer and employee walk together to equal success and prosperity.

In all of us there should be the desire to further this progress but it becomes the sacred duty

of the college man in particular to assume the initiative in the task of carrying on the torch of industrial justice. For there is an ever present debt between the man in the shop and the man in the school and the man in the school is ever the debtor. In order that civilization may advance the rougher physical labor of society as well as the spiritual and mental toil must be performed. Great is the sacrifice made by those who assume the burden of performing this necessary physical labor, a sacrifice of those advantages which every college man enjoys, a sacrifice which is ever becoming more significant as those advantages yearly become of infinitely greater value and above all a sacrifice which every college man should at any time be prepared to repay. There is then this obligation which every man who has enjoyed scholastic training must meet, an obligation founded on the working man's sacrifice of those priceless advantages which we who are in college now enjoy, an obligation representative of a common bond of brotherhood which should be a constant inspiration to every college man, an obligation which remains unfulfilled until the ideal has been attained and complete industrial justice has been established.

"Two men I honor and no third. First the toil-worn craftsman that with earth-made implement laboriously conquers the earth and makes her man's—Hardly entreated Brother! For us was thy back bent, for us were thy straight limbs and fingers so deformed; thou wert our Conscript on whom the lot fell and fighting our battles wert so marred. A second man I honor and still more highly: Him who is seen toiling for the spiritually indispensable; not daily bread but the bread of Life. If the poor and humble toil that we have food, must not the high and glorious toil for him in return, that he have Light, have Guidance, Freedom, Immortality."

#### POEM

The Ivy poem by Winthrop Bancroft follows:

Three happy Bowdoin years are sped:  
One more we'll gather 'mid her halls  
Ere we shall turn our lingering tread  
To where the world of chances calls.

Leaving our Alma Mater's breast  
How shall we travel life's steep way?  
As Bowdoin men who seek the best,  
From no high purpose led astray!

Meeting with hardships shall we not  
Among the bravest take our stand  
Stretching to those with sadder lot  
F'ever an eager, helping hand?

Some here in cap and gown today  
Will mount the peak of life's success;  
To them the world will homage pay  
Honor and riches more or less.

Their names may reach a lofty height,  
For Bowdoin's sons have journeyed far;  
Their fame will shine a beacon light,  
For weary men a bright lode star.

Still these may feel life's sharpest sting  
If, blinded by a grasping lust,  
They love mere praise, a transient thing,  
And golden wealth, that's but a trust.

Yet of our class the largest share  
Will travel o'er the middle road,  
Neither to high achievement fare  
Nor feel the prick of failure's goad.

This course, by many called the best,  
Leads to the goal of sweet content;  
With time for work and time for rest  
Each may follow his nature's bent.

On this highway of happiness  
Let no dark envy mar our lives,  
Just sympathy with man express  
The perfect whole for which each strives.

Though poverty and loss of friend  
And all the sadness fate enrolls,  
Troubles that death alone can mend,  
May crush the gladness from our souls.

As cowards shall we lose our hearts,  
If such our lots may chance to be?  
Nay, let us bravely play our parts  
That we may fear for none to see.

Let courage be our watchword then,  
Giving us strength to do and dare,  
Power to face the evil when  
Storms assail us everywhere.

Bowdoin, we'll leave to wage the fight,  
Taking your ideal as our guide;  
Ready to quit the wrong for right,  
Eager to conquer and to strive.

#### PLANTING OF THE IVY

Following the Ivy exercises in Memorial Hall,  
the class gathers for the planting of the ivy.  
While the ivy is planted, the class will sing the  
Ivy ode:

(Tune: *Orange and the Black*)  
We come, Oh Alma Mater,  
And to thee homage pay  
As at thy sacred altar  
We this our tribute lay:

May the ivy always clinging  
Around this hall of thine  
To us bring yearly, daily,  
A sense of love divine.

If in the years before us,  
When we have wandered wide,  
There sometime comes upon us  
A longing for a guide,  
Our hearts and eyes upon thee  
As on this Ivy Day,  
May we in thee find burning  
A lamp to light our way.

O. L. EVANS '16.

#### PRESENTATIONS

Vanity Box ("Cutty")—Willard P. Woodman.  
Gimlet (Bore)—John L. Baxter.  
Oil (Smooth Proposition)—Don J. Edwards.  
Contract (Matinee Idol)—Richard S. Fuller.  
Spoon (Popular Man)—James A. Dunn.

#### SENIORS' LAST CHAPEL

Directly following the Ivy exercises Seniors' last chapel is held. After the regular chapel service the Seniors march out singing the traditional song to the tune of Auld Lang Syne. The marching is led by A. Keith Eaton, the class marshal. Seniors are excused from attendance at morning chapel during the remainder of the year.

#### IVY HOP --- 9.00 P. M.

The annual Ivy Hop will be held this evening in the new gymnasium. The gym is decorated with a canopy which extends in narrow black and white strips from the side walls to near the center where wide strips of brown and white, the class colors, take their place. Palms and flowers in the fraternity booths will add color to the scene.

The patronesses will be Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mrs. Frank E. Woodruff, Mrs. William A. Moody, Mrs. Charles C. Hutchins, Mrs. Frank N. Whittier, Mrs. George T. Files, Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell, Mrs. Charles T. Burnett, Mrs. Roscoe J. Ham, Mrs. Frederic W. Brown, Mrs. Manton Copeland, Mrs. George R. Elliott, Mrs. Paul Nixon, Mrs. William H. Davis, Mrs. Gerald G. Wilder, Mrs. Alfred O. Gross, Mrs. Lee D. McClean, Mrs. Edward H. Wass, Mrs. Samuel B. Furbish, Mrs. Francis A. Waterhouse.

The committee in charge is composed of E. P. Garland, chairman; K. T. Burr, D. F. Kelley, A. E. Littlefield, L. S. McElwee, Lovell's Orchestra of Brunswick will furnish music for an order of 24 dances. Refreshments will be served by Given of Brunswick.

Among the guests are: Misses Marion Fernald, Ruth Morrell, Cornelia Danforth, Margaret Elwell, Virginia Hamilton, Barbara Nelson, Katherine Hall, Elizabeth Hall, Annie True, Geraldine Wheeler, Gertrude Albion, Marie Dyer, Marion Starbird, Marie Hieber, Catherine Morrell, Beatrice Palmer, Laura Goding, Gertrude Tuttle, Esther Stevens and Mildred Russell of Portland, Mary Elliott, Isabel Palmer, Claire Ridley, Sarah Baxter, Ellen Baxter, Margaret Hutchins, Helen Snow, Evelyn Swett, Margaret Strout, Doris Stetson, Marion Strout, Ruth Lovell, Beatrice Hacker, Alfaretta Graves and Annie Coffin of Brunswick, Helen Sullivan, Dorothy Bird and Mildred Tuttle of Rockland, Priscilla Kimball, Louise Hill, Louise Haggett, Dorothy Nichols, Isabel Olm, Dorothy Sewall, Ethel Cochran, Frances Cummings and Pauline Hatch of Bath, Esther Haswell of Lewiston, Marjorie Smiley, Margaret Woodman and Helen Piper of Bangor, Mary Barnard of Worcester, Mass., Marion Doyle of Washington, D. C., Florence Wakefield of Richmond, Kathleen Millay of Camden, Katherine Havey, of Newton Center, Mass., Mildred McFadden of Lubec, Louise Brown of Auburn, Louise McLery of Farmington, Irene Woodbury of Peak's Island, Pauline Oaks of Skowhegan, Madeline Plummer of Lisbon Falls, Mildred Goddard of Lynn, Mass., Rachel Tuttle of Arlington, Mass., Edith Hopkins of North Haven, Helen King of Butte, Montana, Catherine Robie of Gorham; Doris Kingsley and Elizabeth Palmer of Peabody, Mass., Nesta Libby of East Milton, Mass., Jane Roessler of Bridgeport, Conn., Marie Fogg of Westbrook, Catherine Drummond of Waterville, Emma Farnsworth of Winchester, Mass., Doris Cochran of Houlton, Dorothy Campbell of West Roxbury, Mass., Elizabeth Eastman of Lowell, Mass., Mary Wardwell of Salem, Mass., Amanda Baker of New Rochelle, N. Y., Mary Brackett and Mrs. J. W. Brackett of Phillips.

#### PSI UPSILON HOUSE PARTY

Kappa chapter of Psi Upsilon is holding its annual house party this week. Wednesday afternoon a reception was given to the friends of the fraternity. The house was tastefully decorated with evergreen, smilax and roses. The patronesses were Mrs. Walter L. Head of Bangor, Mrs. F. E. Cruff of West Roxbury, Mass., Mrs. Walter H. Hargraves of West Buxton and Mrs. C. G. Bancroft of Framingham, Mass. Mrs. Hartley C. Baxter and Miss Belle Smith of Brunswick. Mrs. Walter L. Head of Bangor, President William DeWitt Hyde and Alden F. Fend '16 were in the receiving line. Mrs. Arthur



Brown of Brunswick and Mrs. Samuel H. Boardman of Guilford poured.

#### FRATERNITY JOINT DANCE

Theta Delta Chi and Delta Kappa Epsilon held an informal joint dance at the Theta Delta Chi house Wednesday evening. The committee in charge consisted of Lappin '15, Barrett '16, Burr '16, Fuller '16, Phillips '17 and Shumway '17.

#### ZETA PSI HOUSE PARTY

Lambda of Zeta Psi held its annual house party yesterday afternoon and evening. The reception was held from two o'clock until four in the afternoon, followed by a tea dance until seven. Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mrs. C. C. Hutchins, Mrs. Lee D. McClean, Mrs. H. D. Lovell of Brunswick, and Mrs. F. B. Nichols of Bath were the patronesses. Evergreen, palms and cut flowers made up the decorations about the house. Lovell's orchestra furnished music for an order of 18 dances.

The committee in charge was Stone '15, chairman, Niven '16, Achorn '17 and Colter '18.

#### PRESIDENT HYDE'S ADDRESS

Sunday vespers were devoted to memorial services in honor of the late General Hubbard. President Hyde made a special address, as follows:

It is a comparatively easy thing to be a Christian in poverty, in peace, in routine manual labor, in the quiet of a country town. To be a Christian in wealth, in war, in the conduct of a highly competitive profession or business enterprise, in Wall Street, is vastly more difficult. General Hubbard achieved that high distinction.

He went into the Civil War from a sense of filial duty and patriotic obligation. When his brother was killed he felt that his father's family should not lack a representative at the front: and at the risk of all his prospects entered the service of his country. So clear was his sense of duty and so strong was his conviction of the justice of the Union cause, that, while he had the kindest feelings for individual officers and soldiers of the Confederate army, he never could look with approval on the recently developed tendency to erect memorials at the North to the Confederate cause. Right and wrong to him were eternal distinctions; not subject to change as feelings ebb and flow. He shared Lincoln's great faith and devotion to the Union as the paramount issue of the war, and the everlasting glory of America. He cherished his military memories and associations: and his last message was one of love to his comrades of the Loyal Legion.

As a lawyer he had a high sense of professional

responsibility; and was the leader of the movement for a stricter code of legal ethics, and a more searching oath administered to the lawyer on his admission to the bar. He had no sympathy with the view that a lawyer ought not to take what is popularly called a bad case. He held that, to quote his own words, "there is in a correct sense no *bad* side of a case that has *two* sides." "The honest, though mistaken, assertion of a right, or any measure of a right, denied by the opponents, is the proper basis of a case. It casts no reflection on the morals of a lawyer, though it may upon his ability, that he has espoused and urged a case, or the side of a case, that turns out to be bad in the sense that the court at last decides against it." The remedies he advocated were that "The lawyer should control in determining what cases should be brought before the court: what suits may be begun: what defenses may be interposed. His appearance in any cause should be deemed a certificate upon his honor as counsel, that it involves, in his opinion, the honest assertion of equal and equitable rights withheld by the opposing party. In all matters that involve conscience, whether matters of form or substance, the lawyer's decision should be supreme from the beginning to the end of the litigation. The custom should be shattered that permits the lawyer to personate the client; to argue against his own convictions; to substitute his client's morals and conscience for his own, in the conduct of his cause." Here is his definition of a lawyer's success:

"One kind of success is shown by the receipt of large fees. If they are the return for large services and are the fair equivalent for that which he who pays them has received in service, they are one measure of success.

"It is a success to gain verdicts from juries, if the verdicts are just, but not if the jury has been misled to the belief that the worse cause is the better cause.

"It is a success to convince courts by argument, if the argument is founded on facts and law correctly presented.

"It is a success to counsel clients so wisely that they can get their rights without needless expenditure of time and effort.

"But it is safe to say of any able lawyer who has passed the passionate period of life, that he does not deem the verdicts he has won to have been successes if they have been won by distortion of facts, by undeserved invective, by unjust aspersion of character or motive, or if their winning has taken from the opposing party something that should have been left with him.

"It is safe to say of such a lawyer that he does

not deem his counsel to clients an evidence of success for the reason that it has helped his clients to get what they wished, unless he can also feel that it has not helped them to get what they ought not to have had.

"To have advanced the cause of truth and justice is a success, whether this has been done by winning verdicts, by getting favorable decisions, or by preventing needless litigation.

"The success here outlined is the only kind of success that, in the retrospect, satisfies the ambitious man whose ambition is worthy. It is the kind of success that in the prospect should be alluring to the young."

In the conduct of big business he had similar high ideals. When he held the controlling interest in a great metropolitan newspaper, he drew up a fable of rules for the conduct of that paper—rules which it must have cost thousands of dollars to apply. One of the things forbidden was salacious scandal. This was in general absolutely forbidden; and when it was necessary from the point of view of news to refer to any scandal that was in the public mind, it was to be done not in big headlines on the front page, but in small type on the inside. Another class of prohibited matter was abuse of public men. In a presidential campaign a member of the National Committee of his own party made a special trip from Washington to New York to induce him to publish a scurrilous attack on the nominee of the opposite party for the presidency. It is needless to say that the trip was fruitless; and the proposition was emphatically and indignantly rejected.

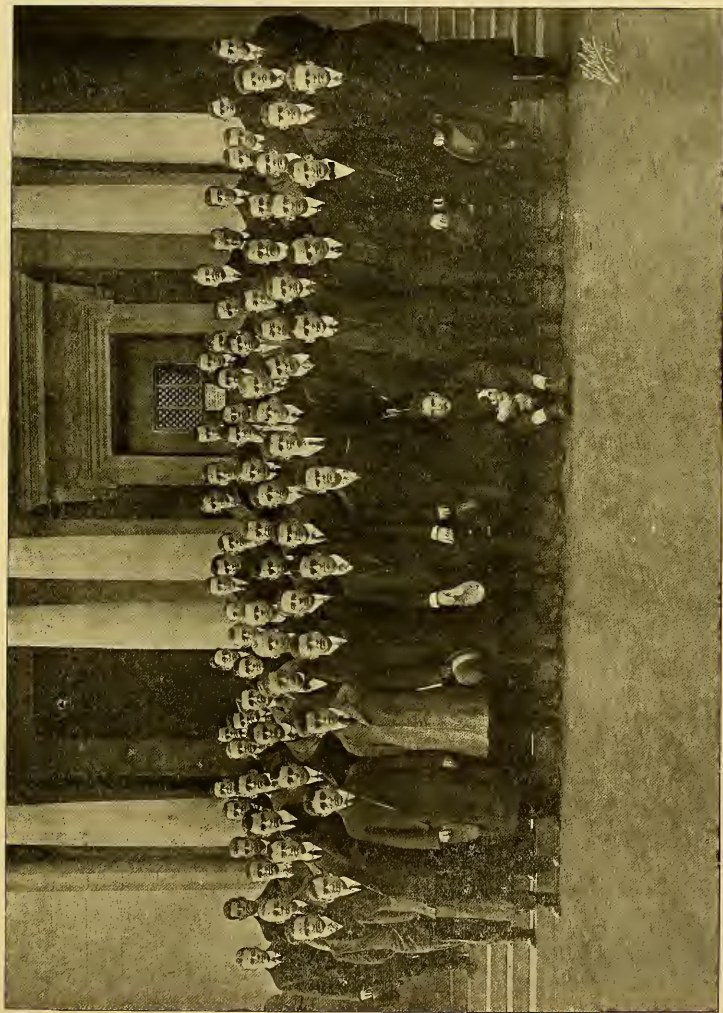
"Business is business": the idea that justice, mercy and charity were for the fireside, and hardness, cruelty and unscrupulousness for the office, he utterly repudiated. He remarked at one of our Commencement dinners that the phrase "Business is business" is usually offered as an excuse when a man is about to do or had done something especially mean. He kept in mind the rights and interests of the other parties to a transaction. To him business was honesty; business was justice; business was mercy where mercy was deserved; business was kindness where kindness was possible. In a time of panic, heavily burdened to avert bankruptcy from the railroad of which he was first vice-president; he took on the burdens of men who without his aid would have been ruined; and saved their fortunes and credit. When a former associate died leaving his family dependent on highly speculative investments in unproductive real estate, he voluntarily assumed the responsibility for that investment: carrying for many years the property on the basis that any ultimate loss should be his; and all ultimate profits

should be theirs. No small part of the anxieties and labor of his later years were due to undertakings originally assumed to help other persons out of difficulty.

Yet ready as he was to mix charity with business, he had no sympathy with schemes to substitute charity for business; to assume that prosperity would come by luck or legislation. All such schemes he heartily abhorred; for he knew too well at what tremendous cost of energy and resourcefulness the success of large and complicated enterprises is secured.

If business, in spite of its strenuousness was to him opportunity for charity; charity in turn was an opportunity for business sagacity. He was not easily deceived. He helped scores of old soldiers, college graduates and undergraduates; business associates and employees; but in each case there was a searching inquiry into the needs and merits of the applicant. It was the same with institutions. He studied and understood their resources, their needs, their services, their policies. About Bowdoin College, its problems, its personnel, its points of strength and weakness, its aspirations and ideals, he knew far more than any man outside, and more than most men inside, its working force. His gifts, whether over his name or anonymous, came not in response to solicitation but as the spontaneous expression of his eager interest in its welfare and his profound belief in its work. While his personal gifts amounted to more than half a million dollars; many other donors in greater or less degree owed their interest in the college to the contagion of his enthusiastic devotion. On one day he called on three men in the interest of the college with apparently little immediate result. At the end of the day he remarked that that was the first day he ever had spent soliciting funds; and that Bowdoin College was the only cause for which he would do it. Year after year he kept in touch with these men; inviting them and often bringing them to the New York Alumni dinners. From these men, before or at their death, the college received gifts which in the aggregate were commensurate with his own. With his gifts and his time and influence, General Hubbard also gave the college his judgment and advice. Free of cost he managed successfully the very difficult and protracted litigation over the Garcelon-Merritt bequest; and he watched as carefully as if it were his own the fortunes of the enterprise with which the larger part of the Merrill bequest was connected.

Like all strong men he was positive in his opinions, and not easily diverted from a course which he thought wise. Yet in one case, the most critical that arose during his service as trustee, when



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he was chairman of a committee of five, three of whom shared his views: after he had spent many days in conducting a sharp controversy in the endeavor to persuade others of the justice of his claims: when his views were very positive and pronounced, and he had power to give them effective expression: on the representation of the administration of the college that, while his views were doubtless right on the specific issue raised, the permanent interest and total policy of the college required that our rights on that specific issue be waived: he not only waived his own opinion in the matter, but at great inconvenience made a special trip to Maine to persuade his three associates on the committee to waive their personal preferences and support the policy of the administration. To that action of his we owe probably our success in raising the endowment fund with the aid of Mr. Carnegie and the General Education Board; certainly the fact that the college is on the Carnegie Foundation; and the professors and their widows are assured of substantial pensions.

Not as something different from profession, business, charity and philanthropy, but as the root from which all these things sprang and the spirit in which they were done, General Hubbard was a Christian. He was a regular attendant at church; gave liberally to church, Christian Association and missionary work; and to the time of his death read daily with his wife and daughter a chapter from the Bible. If in his crowded life, and with his character so largely formed, he found these aids to just and generous living worth while, there is a suggestion to us, with so little pressure of responsibility, and our characters still in the making, that we can hardly afford to dispense with what he found to the end helpful and essential.

Of his home life, its playful tenderness, its intimate sharing of ideals; its gracious hospitality. I forbear to speak, save to say that the sharing of his interests and benefactions by those dear to him was his greatest comfort and support. His largest single benefaction, Hubbard Hall, was the joint gift of General and Mrs. Hubbard.

In his modesty General Hubbard would not have wished Bowdoin students to be like him. He would have pointed them to his Master, Jesus Christ, and bade them form their characters on the model on which he strove to form his. He would have them be Christians in their way as he was a Christian in his way. But short of the Great Master of us all, there is no character from which Bowdoin graduates and undergraduates can draw a finer or higher inspiration than that of General Hubbard. He made good on a great

scale on the field of battle, at the bar, and in the very center of the world's commercial life: and through it all he maintained a spotless integrity, a wise generosity, a simple sincerity, a genial courtesy, a kindly humanity.

#### STATE TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

Bowdoin easily walked away with the Maine Intercollegiate Tennis Tournament, May 24 and 25. Eaton '15 again became collegiate singles champion of Maine, while he and Larrabee '16 won the doubles. In the semi-final rounds, both Bowdoin teams were left, the others having been eliminated. On the second team, White '16 backed up his partner, Capt. Card '15, in fine style. In the singles, Eaton of Bowdoin beat Kilburn of Maine, 6-3, 6-3; Purington of Bates beat Ramsdell of Colby, 6-4, 6-3; Larrabee of Bowdoin beat Fieldbrave of Colby, 6-3, 7-5, and Richardson of Bates beat Hall of Maine, 9-7, 6-2. In the semi-finals, Eaton beat Purington, 6-2, 6-4, and Larrabee beat Richardson, 6-1, 6-2. Eaton defeated Larrabee in the finals, 3-6, 2-6, 6-3, 6-1, 6-2.

In the doubles, Card and White of Bowdoin beat L. Meader and W. Meader of Bates, 5-7, 6-2, 6-3, Flood and Foster of Colby beat Hall and Creighton of Maine, 6-2, 6-4, Eaton and Larrabee of Bowdoin beat Kilborn and Ingalls of Maine, 6-2, 6-0, and Fieldbrave and Ramsdell of Colby beat Richardson and Purington of Bates, 7-5, 7-5. In the semi-finals Card and White beat Flood and Foster, 6-4, 4-6, 6-3, Eaton and Larrabee beat Fieldbrave and Ramsdell, 6-3, 6-2, and Eaton and Larrabee beat the other Bowdoin team, Card and White, in three straight sets for the championship, 6-3, 7-5, 8-6.

#### TENNIS TEAM LOSES

Bowdoin lost to Wesleyan, 6-0, Monday, winning only two sets, Ladd and Head each securing one.

In the singles, Richards of Wesleyan defeated White of Bowdoin, 6-0, 6-2. Hopman of Wesleyan defeated Ladd of Bowdoin, 6-2, 5-7, 6-1. Patten of Wesleyan defeated Head of Bowdoin, 6-3, 4-6, 6-0. Jones of Wesleyan defeated Flynt of Bowdoin, 6-0, 6-0. In the doubles, Jones and Richards of Wesleyan defeated Flynt and Ladd of Bowdoin, 6-2, 6-4. Patten and Hopman of Wesleyan defeated White and Woodman of Bowdoin, 6-3, 7-5.

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## STUDENT NOMINATIONS

Senior Members of Student Council (elect ten)  
—Chase, Crossman, Dunn, Edwards, Foster, Fraser, Fuller, Garland, Hart, Ireland, Larrabee, Leadbetter, Little, McElwee, Moulton, Parsons, Pettingill, Sayward, Woodman, Littlefield.

Junior Members of Student Council (elect two)  
—Crehore, Crosby, McConaughy, Marston.

Senior Members of Athletic Council (elect two)—Dunn, Foster, Garland, Leadbetter.

Junior Members of Athletic Council (elect two)—Crosby, McConaughy, Shumway, Phillips.

Sophomore Member of Athletic Council (elect one)—Savage, Stanley.

Cheer Leaders (elect two)—Chase '16, Edwards '16, Pettingill '16, Oliver '17.

Yesterday afternoon the Athletic Council made the following nominations:

Baseball Manager—McConaughy '17, Pike '17.  
Assistant Baseball Manager—J. Gray '18, MacCormick '18.

Track Manager—Marston '17, Philbrick '17.  
Assistant Track Manager—Bachelder '18, Walker '18.

Tennis Manager—Stone '17, Thayer '17.  
Assistant Tennis Manager—Jacob '18, Norton '18.

## MAINE 2, BOWDOIN 1

In the snappiest game of the season Bowdoin lost to Maine 2 to 1 at Orono Saturday. Both teams hit and fielded well, but Maine's hits came more opportunely. Hackett's one-handed catch of Goodskey's drive into left field was the most spectacular feature of the game. Phillips and Driscoll were each put out when they tried to lengthen their three-baggers into home runs. Maine's first run came in the third, when Driscoll pounded out a three-bagger, scoring Baker. In the sixth, Pendleton scored on Hackett's single. Bowdoin's only score came in the ninth, when Chapman scored McElwee whose heavy hitting and snappy fielding marked Bowdoin's game. The two coaches acted as umpires, Coogan on balls and strikes and Phelan on bases.

MAINE								
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e		
Lawry, 2b	4	0	0	2	3	0		
Pendleton, ss	3	1	2	2	4	0		
Hackett, 1f	3	0	1	1	1	0		
Gilman, 1b	3	0	0	10	0	0		
Ruffner, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0		
Rowe, 3b	3	0	1	1	3	0		
Baker, 1b	3	1	1	8	2	0		
Gorham, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0		
Driscoll, p	3	0	1	0	3	0		
Totals	27	2	6	27	16	0		

BOWDOIN								
	ab	r	bh	po	a	e		
Phillips, 1f	4	0	2	3	1	0		
Donnell, 3b	4	0	1	0	2	0		
McElwee, ss	3	1	3	2	4	1		
Chapman, 2b	4	0	0	0	4	0		
Eaton, 1b	4	0	1	11	1	0		
Shumway, c	4	0	0	5	1	0		
Goodskey, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0		
Woodman, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0		
Fraser, p	2	0	0	0	2	0		
Stanley, p	1	0	0	0	0	0		
Totals	32	1	8	*23	15	1		



\*Driscoll out in 6th, not touching first.

Maine ..... 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 x—2  
Bowdoin ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1

Two base hits, McElwee 2. Three base hits, Phillips, Driscoll. Hits, off Fraser 6 in 6½ innings; Stanley 1 in 1½ innings. Sacrifice hits, Gorham. Stolen bases, Pendleton 2, Rowe. Double plays, Pendleton to Gilman. Left on bases, Bowdoin 5, Maine 1. First base on errors, Maine 1. Struck out, by Stanley 2, Driscoll 6. Time, 1.45. Umpires, Coogan, Phelan.

### BATES 18, BOWDOIN 9

The annual Memorial Day game with Bates was played on Garcelon Field, Lewiston, Monday. During the first four innings each team scored nine runs, but Bowdoin was unable to keep up with the pace, and did not score thereafter. Bates scored in every inning but the eighth.

Stanley and Fraser for Bowdoin, and Moore for Bates were forced to retire from the box. Davidson, who pitched the last four innings for Bates, was the star of the game, holding Bowdoin scoreless and making two three-baggers himself. Eaton played well, making four hits, including a two-bagger, in as many times at bat. Donnell made three hits in five times up. The score:—

BATES		ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Duncan, 2b*	2	2	0	3	4	0	0
Marston, 2b	2	1	2	1	1	1	0
MacDonald, ss	5	1	1	1	0	1	0
Fuller, 3b	5	1	3	2	2	0	0
Talbot, 1b	6	3	3	10	3	1	0
Lord, c	4	3	2	6	2	1	0
Butler, cf	5	0	2	2	0	0	0
Davis, lf	6	2	1	0	0	1	0
Thurston, rf	4	3	1	1	0	0	0
Moore, p	2	1	1	0	3	0	0
Davidson, p	3	1	3	1	0	0	0
Totals	44	18	19	27	15	5	0
BOWDOIN		ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Phillips, lf	4	1	0	1	0	1	0
Donnell, 3b	5	3	3	2	2	0	0
McElwee, ss	3	2	1	5	7	1	0
Chapman, 2b	5	1	2	3	2	0	0
Eaton, 1b	4	1	4	7	0	0	0
Shumway, c	3	0	2	2	2	2	0
Goodskey, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0	0
Woodman, rf	5	0	0	2	0	0	0
Stanley, p	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fraser, p	1	0	0	0	1	3	0
Pendleton, p	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	9	12	24	14	7	0

Bates ..... 3 2 2 2 4 1 4 0 x—18  
Bowdoin ..... 3 3 1 2 0 0 0 0 0—9  
Hits, off Stanley 3 in 1 inning; Moore, 9 in 3½; Fraser, 9 in 4; Davidson, 3 in 5 2-3; Pendleton, 7 in 4. Two base hits, McElwee, Eaton, Talbot 2. Three base hits, Lord, Fuller, Davidson 2. Stolen bases, Marston, Talbot, Lord, Butler, Davis 2, Chapman, Eaton, Woodman. First base on balls, off Moore 2, Stanley 1, Davidson 3, Fraser 2, Pendleton 3. Sacrifice hits, McElwee, Shumway (fly), Goodskey, Duncan (fly), MacDonald (fly). First base on errors, Bates 5. Left on bases, Bowdoin 8, Bates 10. Struck out, by Moore 3, Davidson 3, Fraser 2. Wild pitches, Stanley, Moore. Passed ball, Lord. Hit by pitched ball, by Davidson (Fraser). Double play, Duncan and Talbot. Time, 2.45. Umpire, McInnis.

\*Also ran for Moore in 3d.

### COLBY 7, BOWDOIN 4

Colby's lead of four runs obtained in a disastrous first inning was too much for Bowdoin to overcome in the game at Waterville Tuesday, the White finally losing by a score of 7 to 4. From that time on Bowdoin played steady baseball, Fraser keeping Colby's hits well scattered. The feature of the game was McElwee's home run drive to right field, scoring Donnell. For Colby, Simpson played a fast game in the field, besides hitting well.

The score:

COLBY		bh	po	a	e
Simpson, lf	2	6	0	0	0
Cawley, 2b	2	0	4	0	0
LaFleur, 3b	0	3	3	0	0
Deasy, c	1	5	1	0	0
Allen, rf	0	0	0	0	0
James, cf	2	0	0	0	0
Smith, 1b	3	12	0	0	0
Duffy, ss	0	1	5	0	0
Wright, p	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	10	27	14	2	0
BOWDOIN		bh	po	a	e
Phillips, lf	1	1	0	0	0
Donnell, 3b	0	2	3	1	0
McElwee, ss	2	3	3	2	0
Chapman, 2b	0	3	2	0	0
Eaton, 1b	0	10	2	1	0
Shumway, c	0	1	0	0	0
Goodskey, cf	2	2	0	1	0
Woodman, rf	1	2	1	0	0
Stanley, p	0	0	0	0	0
Fraser, p	1	0	3	0	0
Totals	7	24	14	5	0

## Score:

Colby ..... 4 0 0 0 1 0 2 0 —7  
 Bowdoin ..... 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 1—4

Runs, Donnell 2, Simpson 2, Cawley 2, McElwee, Goodsey, Deasy, Allen, James. Two base hits, McElwee, Cawley. Three base hit, Simpson. Home run, McElwee. Stolen bases, Phillips, McElwee, Cawley, Deasy. Earned runs, Bowdoin 2, Colby 3. Sacrifice hits, LaFleur, Deasy. Left on bases, Bowdoin 9, Colby 8. Bases on errors, Bowdoin 2, Colby 4. Bases on balls, off Fraser 1, off Wright 3. Hits, off Stanley 4 in 1 inning; off Fraser 6 in 7 innings. Hit by pitched ball, McElwee by Wright. Struck out, by Stanley 1, by Wright 6. Umpire, Conway. Time, 2h., 10m.

## BOWDOIN SCORES POINT

Cornell won the I. C. A. A. A. held at Philadelphia last Saturday with Harvard second and Yale third. Bowdoin, with three representatives, scored one point, Leadbetter taking fifth place in the hammer throw. His distance was 147 feet, 9 inches. Savage qualified for both hurdles but in the semi-final heats was unfortunate in drawing the winners of both events. His time was much faster than in his previous races. In the pole vault Captain McKenney failed to qualify, the height at which the men qualified being 12 feet.

## BIOLOGY CLUB FIELD DAY

Next Monday, June 7, members of the Biology Club will take the 9.20 Bath car, getting off at New Meadows, and walk to Rich mountain. The men are expected to bring a lunch for noon. The day will be spent with Dr. Copeland and Dr. Gross in collecting with a swim in the afternoon. Late in the afternoon a launch will take the party to New Meadows Inn for dinner. Those unable to take the trip can meet the club at the Inn. The expense will not be over \$1.25 for the whole trip. Those who plan to go should immediately notify Irving '16, Hale '16 or Thayer '18.

## HEBRON WINS INTERSCHOLASTICS

Hebron won the annual outdoor interscholastic meet Saturday with a score of 60 points. Bangor scored 27¼, Portland 12¼, Cony High 10, Westbrook Seminary and Good Will 2¼ each, Kent's Hill 2 and Lincoln Academy 1.

The half mile, won by Morrill of English High running unattached, was the feature race of the day. Upton of Hebron established a new record of 21 feet and ¼ inch in the broad jump, and Noyes, in the mile run, a record of 4 minutes and 38.3-5 seconds.

## THE STUDENT ELECTIONS

In another column are the nominations for the student elections which are to be held Monday, June 7, in the Managers' Room, New Gym, from 11 A. M. to 6 P. M. Only paid-up members of the A. S. B. C. will be eligible to vote.

These elections are of the utmost importance and demand the careful attention of every voter. The President, Secretary and Vice-President of the Student Council and Associated Students are especially important.

The President has general oversight of student affairs, presides at meetings, represents the college as speaker at various functions, and directs the work of the Student Council. The office demands a man of experience and superior ability.

The Vice-President is especially important as head of the Board of Managers, which collects and manages the Blanket Tax. The office demands integrity and great executive ability.

The Secretary has important duties of a secretarial nature and also as chairman of important student council committees. The office demands faithfulness, accuracy and executive ability.

The Student Council should be as widely representative as possible and composed of the men best acquainted with student affairs, of soundest judgment and of most unselfish interest in the college as a whole.

The Athletic Council is a body which has to cope with serious problems of administration and policy. It holds in its hands the athletic welfare of the college. It should be made up of men of experience with athletic teams, perhaps as managers, of sound judgment and unfailing integrity.

The importance of the managerial offices need not be commented on.

## COMMUNICATION

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:—*

This June the last class familiar with the introduction of the Blanket Tax will graduate. These men know the conditions under which the tax was established, the unsatisfactory conditions which made it almost imperative, the fight necessary to make it a possibility, and the first critical year in which success or failure seemed equally probable. The present Seniors know what it meant to be continually approached by managers who were running the various organizations under the subscription system. The average man who supported college organizations loyally subscribed \$20 or \$25 annually and in addition paid his way into all games. The Blanket Tax brought with it a new era of management based on sure receipts, and new and more satisfactory conditions for the sup-

porter of college organizations. Athletic teams have been put on a firm financial footing and have broadened their schedules considerably, while publications have been brought out of overwhelming debt.

For two years the Blanket Tax has been a success. This last year, in spite of untiring efforts on the part of those responsible for its collection, it has been a doubtful success. During the last semester about 100 men failed to pay. These men threw the burden of supporting our activities on those men to whom college spirit means deeds and not words, and whose loyalty is expressed by something more real than wearing a black and white necktie. Of the men who did not pay, about 40 asked for extensions, which imply a promise to pay, and with fine disregard for promises, failed to pay the tax. A small per cent. of men are unable to pay the tax. These I wish to exclude from any scathing condemnation, but with regard to those who are able to pay and do not, through indifference or what not, one can only regret that they have not a clearer conception of the duty of every college man toward the organizations in which he takes pride and by which he benefits.

The poorest excuse I have heard for not paying is the mathematical one. One can refuse to pay the tax, can pay his admission to the games, borrow his neighbor's ORIENT and save money enough to go to the "movies" several times. If everybody does that, in a year or two we shall all be saving money, for there will be no games to go to. It is time that we stopped figuring how much we can save by refusing to pay the tax. It must be viewed for what it is, an equally apportioned subscription for the support of college activities. We must ask ourselves whether these activities are to be kept on their present sound basis or whether athletic teams are to cut down their schedules and struggle along on insufficient funds. The Blanket Tax is the most significant and most real test of a man's college spirit that we have at Bowdoin. Next fall we must decide the question: Are we to be found wanting in this much-vaunted spirit? Next year is a critical one and the question will be decided then.

A. H. MACCORMICK,  
*President Student Council.*

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE B. C. A.

The student activities of the Bowdoin Christian Association are both social and religious. The Association has always stressed the social aspect of its work: there is a Freshman Reception each fall, which practically the whole college attends; a special Freshman Meeting explains college customs to the new men; a Hand-book is furnished

to each student; an Employment Bureau is conducted, and a Text-Book Loan Library provided. This year two new features of work were undertaken. On Thanksgiving Day the Social Committee arranged an informal gathering in one of the fraternity houses for those who could not go home; a Tutoring Bureau for non-fraternity Freshmen who would profit by advice from high standing upperclassmen, was organized, and its usefulness demonstrated. The undergraduate religious activities were carried on much as in the past: Bible and Mission Study classes were well attended (the record attendance was 137); the meetings, both the small weekly group and the monthly public addresses, attracted satisfactory audiences; specially successful was the series of meetings on "The College Man," addressed by Hon. Carl E. Milliken, ex-President of the Maine Senate, President Aley of Maine and Principal Stearns of Andover.

Outside the college the Association has been particularly successful. Church attendance and membership have been urged upon the undergraduates; twenty men have united, as temporary members, with the Church on the Hill, and eight have joined by confession, either here or at their home churches. For two months, in the winter, Bowdoin Deputation Teams were away every Sunday; over a dozen men visited twenty-two communities, including four academies; at one, over eighty boys decided to lead a Christian life. The Sunday School at Pejepscot, composed of both Protestants and Catholics, has been continued. In coöperation with the other Maine colleges a State College Y. M. C. A. Conference will be established this September. Hiwale, 1909, has again been supported as Bowdoin's representative in India; due to the generosity of the alumni nearly four hundred dollars has been sent this year. Nor have Bowdoin men neglected the needs at home: at Thanksgiving and Christmas the dinners given to poor families in town fed eighty people; the Freshman Religious Committee has collected clothing for Dr. Grenfell's mission and magazines for the State Prison. As the result of a special campaign last fall 300 pounds of clothing was sent to Cambridge University, England, for the Belgian refugees. The classes in English for foreigners and the Brunswick Boys' Association have continued the successful work reported last year.

The reports of the Christian Association have frequently pointed out that the establishment of a Bowdoin Union would greatly increase the efficiency of its work. At present it has no suitable room for its meetings, no place where informal social gatherings can be held and the Secretary's office is poorly located. All of these needs would

be effectively met if the scheme of making over the old gymnasium succeeds. This would in no sense be a Y. M. C. A. building, but, as at Brown, Dartmouth and Yale, the Union would provide room for socials, addresses, committee meetings and a centrally located office for the Secretary. Such a building on our campus would go far toward solving our present social problem, and would increase the efficiency of every student organization, social, literary, dramatic and religious.

### B. C. A. NOTES

The new cabinet of the Bowdoin Christian Association for 1915-16 has perfected its organization and is now as follows: President, Foster '16; vice-president, Winter '16; treasurer, Crosby '17; corresponding secretary, McConaughy '17; recording secretary, Norton '18. In addition to these men, the various committees with their respective chairman are:

ADMINISTRATIVE.—Winter '16, chairman.

Membership.—Campbell '16, Crosby '17, Brown '17.

Publicity.—Creeden '17, Crehore '17.

Hond-Book.—Chapman '17.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION.—Crossman '16, chairman.

Bible Study.—Moran '17.

Mission Study.—MacCormick '18.

Meetings.—Churchill '16.

CAMPUS SERVICE.—Hescock '16, chairman.

Social.—Sayward '16, Leadbetter '16.

Hivale.—McConaughy '17, Jacob '18.

Social Service.—Marston '17, Stone '17.

COMMUNITY SERVICE.—Kinsey '16, chairman;

Bartlett '17, assistant chairman.

Deputations.—Norton '18, Freese '18.

Pejepscot.—Albion '18, Joyce '18.

English for Foreigners.—Little '17, Spalding '17, Parmenter '17.

Church Relations.—Chapman '17, Seward '17.

It will be the effort of the B. C. A. to develop the administrative board into an efficient mechanism, and to make our association essentially a business organization. The branches of work which have the strongest appeal and secure the best response will be exploited to their utmost.

The present efforts of the B. C. A. are being concentrated in securing a suitable representation for Bowdoin College at Northfield. This Student Conference is a powerful influence in undergraduate activities of our eastern colleges. Each year hundreds of representative men from all the colleges of New England, New York and eastern Canada gather here for helpful instruction, discussion and recreation, and the program outlined by the committee assures that this year's enter-

tainment will surpass that of any conference to date. From June 25 to July 4 there will be each morning: discussion, Bible study and mission study groups led by men of such ability as Charles R. Brown, dean of the Yale Divinity School, and John R. Mott, general secretary of the World's Student Christian Federation. During the afternoons the time will be devoted to recreation, and a series of baseball games, track meets and a tennis tournament are provided. The type of men which Northfield draws deserves competition and sport of the keenest kind.

The expenses for the Conference consists of a registration fee of \$5.00 which is paid by the B. C. A. The total cost of board and lodging will be \$13.00, and such men as desire will be provided with tents. In addition to these two items there will be the cost of transportation. Bowdoin should be represented by at least ten men. In order to assist any who would be able to make the trip except for the expense, two waiterships have been secured which reduce the cost by \$10.00. A loan fund is also being established and from this men may borrow to return at their early convenience.

Men who grasp this opportunity of enjoying a vacation with a purpose are sure to find the perspective of college life and of life in general immeasurably widened. The B. C. A. is sincere in urging every thinking fellow to seriously consider the foregoing proposition.

### FUND FOR TRAINING TABLE

At the monthly luncheon of the Bowdoin Club of Portland held recently a committee was appointed with the power to make arrangements for a Bowdoin Club night at the Jefferson Theatre, the proceeds to be used as a fund for a training table for the athletes at Bowdoin. The lack of an adequate training table has handicapped our athletic teams severely in the past, and the action of the Bowdoin Club of Portland, which will obviate this difficulty, is therefore especially welcome.

Another committee was appointed to draw up resolutions on the death of General Thomas H. Hubbard '57.

Dr. Frank N. Whittier addressed the alumni on the athletic situation at Bowdoin and other matters connected with the college, and praised the spirit shown in the organization of the Bowdoin Club of Portland.

### COMMENCEMENT PARTS

Yesterday Commencement Parts were awarded to Bacon, Coffin, Hamel, MacCormick, and Remsaw, with Talbot alternate.



## Alumni Department

'58.—Judge William L. Putnam, presiding judge of the United States Circuit Bench in the first district, which includes Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts and Rhode Island, oldest living circuit judge in the United States, and oldest living ex-mayor of Portland, celebrated his eightieth birthday in Boston on Wednesday, May 26, at the Hotel Vendome. His birthday will also be given formal recognition by the Boston Bar Association, which is having a portrait of him painted by a Boston artist. Judge Putnam took his degree of A.M. at Bowdoin in 1858 and the degree of LL.D. from the college in 1884. He was born in Bath, was an editor there in 1856, and also assistant clerk of the Maine House of Representatives. From 1858 to 1892 he practised law in Portland, of which city he was mayor in 1868 and 1869. He was appointed judge of the United States Circuit Court in 1892, and is serving at present in that capacity. His knowledge of the law and his memory of cases is regarded as remarkable.

'72.—Hon. George Melville Seiders, former farmer's boy, soldier, school teacher, lawyer, legislator, attorney general of Maine, law partner of Thomas Brackett Reed, and a leader of the Maine Bar, died May 26 in Portland.

Mr. Seiders was born in Union, Maine, on January 15, 1844, and came of strong old German stock which settled Broad Bay, now Waldoboro, between 1740 and 1750. His early education was obtained in the public schools of Union, and while a student in the high school, he enlisted in 1862 in the 24th Maine Volunteer Infantry, and was made a corporal. One year later the regiment returned home, and was mustered out of service. After the war Mr. Seiders remained on the home farm until he had attained his majority, when he obtained employment in Portland. With a desire to secure a better education, he worked hard and saved money, and in 1866 entered Kent's Hill Seminary. He remained there two terms, and then completed his preparatory course at Lincoln Academy, Newcastle. He was admitted to Bowdoin, paid his own way through college, and was graduated in 1872 with the degree of A.B. Subsequently, in 1895, his Alma Mater conferred upon him the degree of A.M.

After leaving Bowdoin Mr. Seiders taught school two years as principal of Greeley Institute at Cumberland Center, one year as submaster of the Waltham (Massachusetts) High School, and one year as professor in the Episcopal Academy of Connecticut at Cheshire.

While in Connecticut he took up the study of law and in 1876 entered the office of Thomas Brackett Reed, where he read law until 1878, when he was admitted to the Maine Bar. After being in the office of Hon. F. M. Ray, he returned to Mr. Reed's office, and was associated with Mr. Reed from that time until the latter removed to New York in 1901. In 1893, Mr. Sei-

ders was elected representative to the legislature from the first district, and continued until 1901.

Mr. Seiders was prominent in State politics and continued until 1901. He was elected county attorney of Cumberland County, and was reelected in 1887. In 1892 he was elected to the State Senate from Cumberland County, and was reelected in 1894. In 1894-95 he served as president of the Senate. From 1891 to 1895 he was attorney general of the State, and Cumberland County member of the Republican State Committee. In 1883 Mr. Seiders was appointed assistant counsel for the United States in the Alabama Court of Claims, and continued in this position until the work of the court was completed. Mr. Seiders was a strong admirer of Theodore Roosevelt, and feeling that Mr. Roosevelt should be elected to the presidency, he became a Progressive, and was very active in the Progressive organization of 1912, being chairman of the State Committee and resigning his position in 1913.

Mr. Seiders married in 1872 Miss Clarice S. Hayes of North Yarmouth. They had three children, Grace R., now Mrs. Philip Davis Webb, Mary A. Seiders, and Philip Reed Seiders, who died several years ago.

Besides being an active member of the Maine Historical Society and the Maine Genealogical Society, Mr. Seiders was a member of the Cumberland Club and of Bosworth Post, G. A. R. From his youth he was a member of the Congregational Church.

'81.—At the recent conference of the Unitarian Churches of New England in Boston, Rev. Arthur G. Pettengill of Portland spoke on "An Opportunity for Unitarianism in New England," reviewing a plan which he had tried and found effective in substantially increasing helpfulness to men and incidentally toward the numbers of Unitarians. His efforts were directed particularly toward the number of "unchurched" people in each community who, while not entirely unreligious, were not connected with any church, and toward those of historic churches who were dissatisfied with their creed and type of religious life.

'85.—Howard L. Lunt, A.M., is supervisor of instruction and professor of English and Latin in the University of Southern California High School at Los Angeles.

'05.—The class secretary has written to all former members (non-graduates) of the class, extending a cordial invitation to attend the coming reunion and requesting certain biographical information for publication in the decennial report. In some cases the addresses obtained were not recent. It is hoped that members of the class who are in touch with any of our "former" members will urge their attendance at the reunion and will send the addresses of these classmates to the secretary, Stanley P. Chase, 9 Glenwood Boulevard, Schenectady, N. Y.

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## THE BOWDOIN UNION

The possibility of the Bowdoin Union materializing is daily becoming greater. A failure to secure sufficient funds is the only cause which can hinder our having this building commissioned by next fall.

The old gym, at present more or less of an eyesore, can be vastly improved both inside and out. As is indicated by the sketch showing the general elevation, a porch is to be added, and changes are to be made to the windows. The problem of coordinating the stack, the factory-like arches, and the whirr from the dynamos with the idea of a comfortable club room is by no means a simple one. In view of the fact that most of the buildings on the campus suggest the colonial type, the first task was to take the material available and at a small expense shape it into that form. The present windows will be replaced by three adjacent small paned windows, surmounted by a colonial pediment, and between these and the arch will be white panels. Directly below these panels there is at present a belt course of red sandstone, girdling the entire building. In conformation to the general colonial scheme, this course is to be painted white. A similar device was resorted to in alterations to the Capitol Building in Washington some thirty years ago, and only spacing would now make evident to ordinary observation that the stone is red sandstone and not New Hampshire granite.

The porch, which is shown in closer detail in one of the drawings, will be approximately ten feet by 22 feet. This addition combined with the change in the doorway will materially help to soften the present rather ugly exterior. The granite capstone over the door is to be removed, and the height of the door correspondingly raised. A colonial moulding comparable to that above the south entrance of Massachusetts Hall will relieve the lines about this doorway, and over it on a name plate will be inscribed "THE UNION." Consistent with the general color scheme, the eaves will be painted white instead of slate color as they now are.

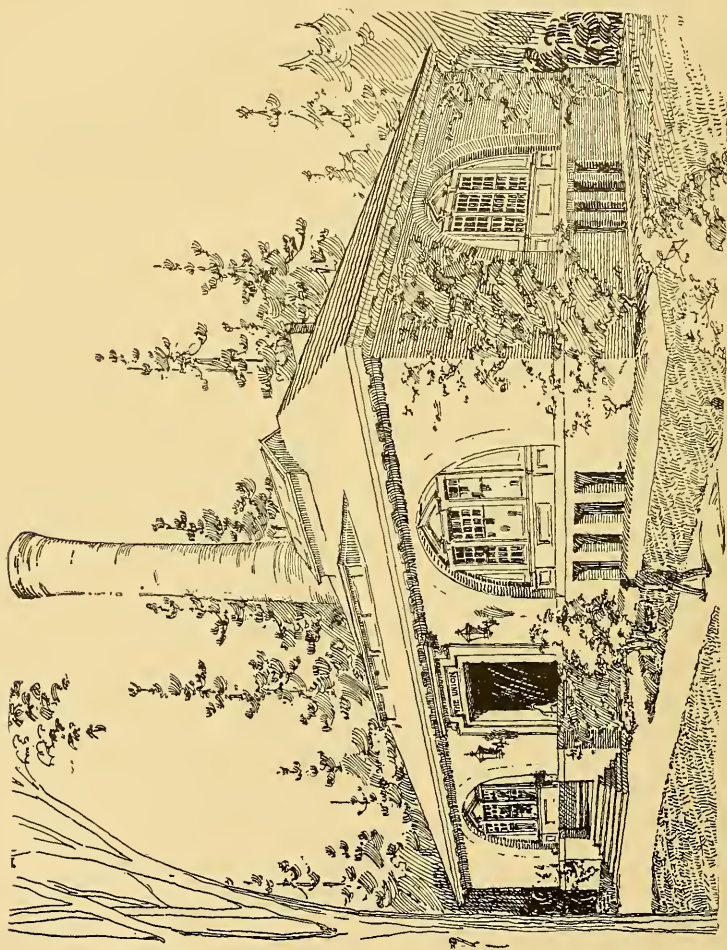
In determining the general arrangement of the interior, economy and taste are the only factors. Within the building, the fact that the window frames are flush with the brickwork makes it pos-

sible to get away from the rigidly defined arch lines, and consequently a much more comfortable appearance can be gained. Panelling will be the dominant scheme in the billiard room. Expense in this sort of work does not depend so essentially on materials as on jointing. Burlap, the usual decoration for a club house billiard room, is pleasing in appearance but expensive to buy and difficult to hang on brick. The equipment which it is proposed to supply consists of two tables, in which quality of slate and cushions is the factor in determining price. Card tables, not shown on the sketch, will occupy the east side of the room, and across the north end will be a heavily cushioned window seat. The dimensions of the room, 27 feet by 40 feet, combined with the low, timbered ceiling and the heavy ship's knees on the posts should result in an extremely attractive place.

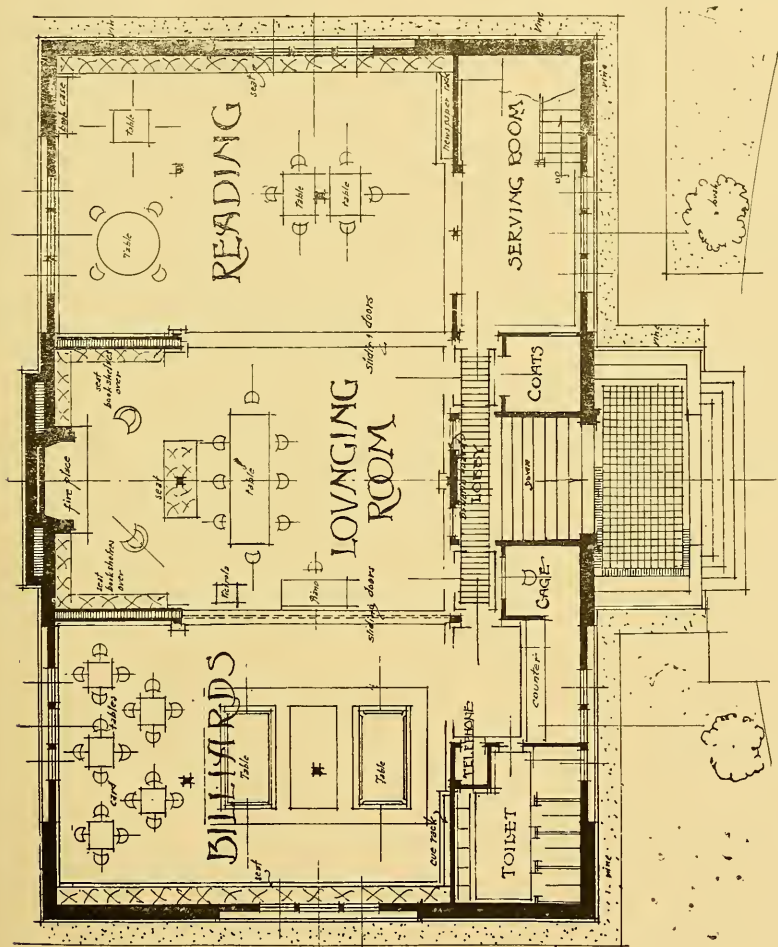
Normally the middle and the south rooms will be a single room, and in fact all three rooms can be easily thrown together by opening the sliding doors. The presence of two stacks makes possible a huge fireplace, and in the plans for these two rooms the keynote is to be comfort and taste. In the home of the Duke of Dartmouth, Woodsome Hall, is a set of rooms whose situation on a grander scale is comparable to those proposed here, and in working out of detail, the scheme Woodsome Hall will be as closely followed as means permit. The great fireplace is to take a six foot log, and to have an eleven foot hearth. The brick above the fireplace instead of being carried on a flat arch, or supported by a steel plate will rest on a heavy wooden beam, on which will be carved grotesque-work, pertinent to the room for which it is intended. Surrounding the fireplace are to be book shelves and seats and opposite is to be a comfortable post settle. In a place suggestive always of good fellowship and comradeship, it would be fitting to place a memorial to men whose lives stand out in college annals for the great companionship. It is proposed to have the names of Richard A. Lee '08, Frank Morrison '08 and James Blaine Lamb '08 in some way associated with the fireplace of the living room.

The auxiliary rooms, it is hoped, will supply a real need about the college. Looking forward to a time when some college activity will plan a din-

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### The Bowdoin Union

The Bowdoin Union is now practically a certainty. It is fifteen years since a Union was first proposed for Bowdoin, and the opportunity of remodelling the Sargent Gymnasium at moderate cost now makes possible the fulfillment of the plan. The purpose of a Union is well known. A place for the meeting of students for business and pleasure, a Union is an institution that should be managed by the students themselves, with, perhaps, the general supervision of those members of the faculty who have taken so much interest in it. The Union is so fully described elsewhere by pens more able than ours that further discussion here is needless. We add only that a Union should be the means of reducing

class and fraternity friction and of increasing college spirit and loyalty.

### The Blanket Tax

The failure of nearly a third of the men in college to pay their Blanket Tax assessment is a serious handicap to those student organizations which are enrolled under the A.S.B.C. and which draw their financial support from it. Another year on only partial support of the Blanket Tax will see our activities hopelessly in debt and a reversion to the old unorganized system of continual dunning by the different managers. The only factor which will insure the success of the Blanket Tax and hence financial independence for the teams is a sound public opinion behind the tax,—a realization of the fact that if we are to have teams we must meet their expenses, and that those expenses must be borne by all. Lack of college spirit has never been more plainly exhibited than by those financially able individuals who have refused to bear their share in bearing the expenses of our student organizations.

### Next Year's Freshmen

Undergraduates have an important influence in determining the size and character of the successive entering classes by personal work with those who are undecided in their choice of a college. The summer is the last opportunity to turn towards Bowdoin those who have just completed their preparatory school course but who have yet to choose their college. Active work, during these summer months, particularly by the two lower classes, will mean much when the twenty-third of September comes.

### STUDENT ELECTIONS

The annual elections of the A. S. B. C. held Monday, June 7, resulted as follows:

President Student Council and A. S. B. C.: Leadbetter '16.

Secretary: Dunn '16.

Vice-President and Chairman Board of Managers: Garland '16.

Senior Members Student Council: Foster, Fraser, Fuller, Ireland, McElwee, Monlton, Sayward.

Junior Members Student Council: McConaughy and Marston.

Senior Members Athletic Council: Dunn and Leadbetter.

Junior Members Athletic Council: McConaughy and Phillips.

Sophomore Member Athletic Council: Savage.

Cheer Leaders: Edwards '16 and Oliver '17.



Baseball: Manager, McConaughy '17; Assistant Manager, MacCormick '18.

Track: Manager, Marston '17; Assistant Manager, Walker '18.

Tennis: Manager, Stone '17; Assistant Manager, Norton '18.

#### BATES WINS IVY GAME

For the first time since 1910, Bates was victorious in the Ivy game, winning by score of 7-3. The difficulty, as in so many previous games, consisted chiefly in Bowdoin's failure in the critical moments; for in general Fraser's pitching was fully as good as Moore's, and the fielding of the teams was equally good. The Bowdoin crowd felt relieved when the first inning left the team ahead, but the fatal break came in the second when an unlucky error, poor headwork, a couple of hits, and finally a long home run over the fence by Moore brought in four runs. Bowdoin lost a good chance to score in the fifth when the bases were filled with no one out, but the necessary hit was lacking, and a double play spoiled the possibilities. Duncan at second and Fuller at third played well for Bates; Donnell fielded well for Bowdoin.

#### TRACK CAPTAIN

At a recent meeting of the track team, after the picture of the team was taken, the annual election of a track captain resulted in the unanimous choice of Guy C. Leadbetter '16. Leadbetter has been a member of the track team for three years and has been a heavy point winner in the weight events. Last fall he was chosen to captain the 1915 football team and is one of the two three-letter men in college, being a member of the fencing team also.

#### 1917 BUGLE BOARD

The following men have been chosen to publish the 1917 *Bugle*: Blanchard, editor-in-chief; Crosby, business manager; Oliver, assistant business manager; Bartlett and Rickard, art editors. The associate editors are: White, Fobes, Babcock, Swift, Campbell, Miller, Eaton.

#### "PULLMAN" COURSES

The following members of 1916 have been chosen for English 7-8 for next year: Baxter, Evans, Foster, Fuller, Irving, Sayward and White.

The class in Political Science 3, Municipal Government, will have the following members next year: Beal, Burr, Dunn, Evans, Foster, Hescok, Iadd, Sayward, 1916; Blanchard and Goodskey, 1917.

#### BOARD OF PROCTORS

Dean Sills has appointed the following Board of Proctors for next year: James A. Dunn, Herbert H. Foster, Samuel Fraser, Laurence Irving, Guy W. Leadbetter and Dwight H. Sayward. They have been assigned the different "ends" as follows: Dunn, North Winthrop; Foster, South Maine; Fraser, North Maine; Irving, South Appleton; Leadbetter, North Appleton, and Sayward, South Winthrop.

#### WORK OF 1914-15 STUDENT COUNCIL

*To the Editor, Bowdoin ORIENT:*

In accordance with custom, I submit herewith a statement of the more important work done by the Student Council for the past college year.

1. Arranged interfraternity baseball series. Arranged interclass hockey series. Arranged Freshman-Sophomore cane rush. Recommended interclass soccer under regular schedule to Athletic Council.

2. Held first football dance, on night of Bates game. Nominated for committee and held elections.

3. Took collection for Red Cross Oct. 4.

4. Finished preparing new Bowdoin Song Book for publication. (This work has been delayed by difficulty of getting songs from other colleges.)

5. Made various recommendations: to Faculty about putting piano in Memorial Hall; to college boards concerning need of an infirmary; to Board of Managers favoring distinctive caps for college band men.

6. Passed and published resolution against "cribbing."

7. Presented to Professor Henry Johnson a resolution expressing appreciation of his work in translating Dante's Divine Comedy.

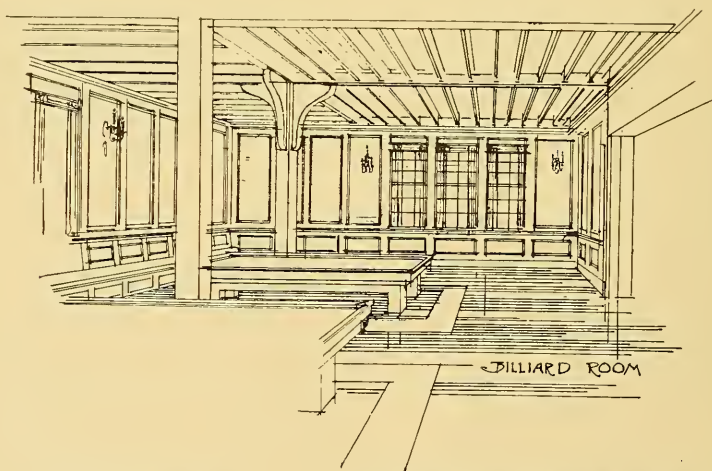
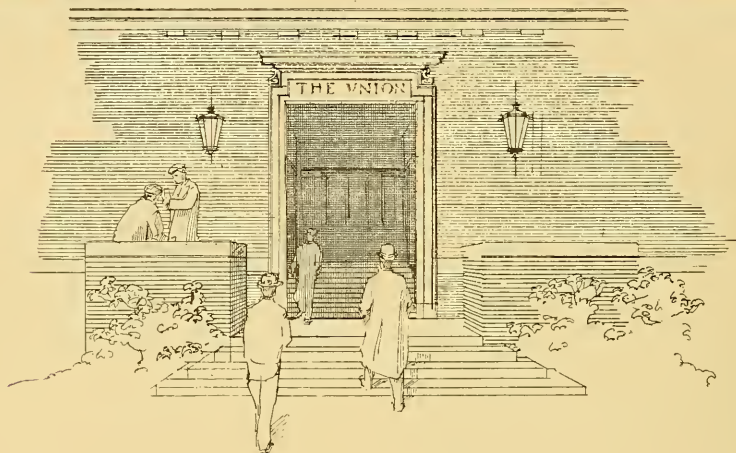
8. Held first Vaudeville Show, on night before Indoor Interscholastic Meet.

9. Published letter appealing to alumni to send men to Bowdoin. Circulated letter among alumni, with return slips on which prospective students' names could be put. Made efforts to interest these men in Bowdoin through literature and other means.

10. Drew up plans for student government of proposed Bowdoin Union and recommended this plan of government for adoption by the following Student Council, subject to the approval of the Faculty.

11. The Council held 10 meetings, average attendance 8. Held 4 elections, 1 college sing, and 7 rallies.

AUSTIN H. MACCORMICK,  
*President.*



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ner in the Union, with a huge log in the fireplace lazily breaking itself into a mass of glowing embers, a serving room and electric range have been provided. In addition, there will be a confectionery counter and a "cage" or check room.

A building which in spirit and fact is so essentially a students' gathering place should be under student administration. At a recent meeting of

the Student Council a special committee consisting of MacCormick '15, McWilliams '15, Dunn '16 and Mr. Langley was appointed to work out a scheme of management, and the following plan will be presented to the new Student Council before this article comes from the press.

*To the Honorable Members of the Bowdoin Student Council:*

The following tentative arrangement for the

management of the proposed Bowdoin Union has been drawn up by your special committee as instructed:

1. The governing board of the Union shall consist of five members. It shall include from the student body two Seniors, one Junior and one Sophomore; Faculty, one member.

2. ELECTION: The student members shall be nominated by the Student Council and elected by the members of the A. S. B. C. at their annual election in June. The faculty member shall be elected by the Student Council.

3. TERM OF OFFICE: The faculty member shall serve for two years; the student members for one year. Both shall be eligible for reelection.

4. CHAIRMAN: The chairman of the board shall be the Senior receiving the highest number of votes.

5. POLICY: The general administrative and financial policy of the board shall be left to the discretion of the committee, subject, however, to the approval of the Student Council.

6. REPORTS: The governing board shall be required to make an annual report to the Student Council and any other intermediate reports that are desired.

Respectfully submitted,

AUSTIN H. MACCORMICK,

G. ARTHUR MCWILLIAMS,

JAMES ALFRED DUNN.

#### COMMUNICATION

##### *To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

Those of us who as members of the Faculty and as alumni have been looking forward for many years to the time when the college might have a Union, are now very glad that the project is taking definite shape. When some fifteen years ago the chapter houses were erected and very many of the men were withdrawn from the dormitories, there was a general feeling that fraternity life in the new centers would be detrimental unless it was supplemented by a common meeting place. To be sure, there has been of late no noteworthy diminution of college spirit; but certainly in classes and in the community at large fewer men are acquainted with their fellows than used to be the case. A Union, then, is very much to be desired for the sake of offsetting a too strong fraternity feeling.

Another factor not perhaps as well known as it should be, has entered into our problem here more recently. At the present time 44 students, of whom 26 are Freshmen, are living in private houses, 20 students are living at home and 9 students are living out of town; so that very nearly 20 per cent. of the college, or one man in five, is

not in residence. For the men who are living out of town the Union would be an admirable place in which to spend the hours in the middle of the day, not only convenient for a meeting place, but for reading and study. For the students who live in private houses, particularly for the new men who are not able to get into the dormitories, the Union would also be most beneficial.

No doubt the building will not be used exactly as plans are now being made. The great benefit of such a club is that it shall change with changing conditions and adapt itself to the actual needs of the undergraduates. It is probable that a good many men in college will not often resort there; but it is also extremely likely that the building will be used for various meetings and purposes that cannot now be foreseen. It should be definitely understood that it is a college affair; that is, a college building and a college club, and has nothing whatsoever to do with the Y. M. C. A., Associated Students, or any other organization.

For these and other reasons the college is indeed to be congratulated on the prospect of the fruition of long cherished plans. Much gratitude is due to those in the past who have kept this matter before the attention of the friends of the college, and at the present time to Mr. Langley and to Mr. Burton, of the class of 1907, who are working so hard to make the start of the Union a success. Its future rests with the undergraduates.

KENNETH C. M. SILLS '01.

#### ALUMNI ELECTIONS

Dr. Little has recently announced the result of the election of Mr. M. S. Holway '82 to the Board of Overseers of Bowdoin College. The number of votes cast and counted was 677. Some ballots came too late to be considered. Last year at a similar election there were 750 votes cast. The total number possible is about 1900. The result of the election was: Melvin S. Holway '82, Augusta, Me., 291 votes; William M. Emery '89, Fall River, Mass., 171 votes; Eben W. Freeman '82, Portland, Me., 118 votes; James L. Doherty '89, Springfield, Mass., 97 votes.

At the same time four members of the Alumni Council were elected. In every case the retiring members were reelected. The result of this election was: Henry E. Andrews '94, Kennebunk, Me., 451 votes; Howard R. Ives '98, Portland, Me., 408 votes; George C. Wheeler '01, Portland, Me., 363 votes; Joseph B. Roberts '95, New York City, 222 votes; William W. Thomas '94, Portland, Me., 295 votes; Charles H. Hastings '91, Washington, D. C., 259 votes; Preston Kyes '96, Chicago, Ill., 252 votes; Frederick D. Dillingham '00, New York City, 241 votes.

### TENNIS CAPTAIN

At a meeting of this year's tennis team held Tuesday, Raymond H. Larrabee '16 was elected captain of the team for next year. Larrabee has played on the team for the last two years, and was captain two years ago.

### FRIAR INITIATION

The Friars held their annual initiation Saturday night at the Congress Square Hotel in Portland. The following men from 1917 were initiated: Colbath, Crosby, Marston, McConaughy and Pike. Following the initiation banquet the Friars were the guests of Crowell '13 at the Jefferson Theatre.

### FRATERNITY DELEGATES

All the fraternities represented at Bowdoin with the exception of Delta Upsilon will hold their national conventions at San Francisco this summer. The dates and delegates will be:

- Alpha Delta Phi, Sept. 8-10, Little '16.
- Psi Upsilon, Sept. 2, 3, 4, Sayward '16.
- Delta Kappa Epsilon, July 12-15, Shumway '17.
- Theta Delta Chi, July 10-13, Beal '16, Campbell '17.
- Zeta Psi, Sept. 8-12, Delegate not yet elected.
- Kappa Sigma, July 20-23, Foster '16.
- Beta Theta Pi, August 31-Sept. 3, Garland '16.

### BAND ENDS SEASON

Last week the Bowdoin College Band held its annual election of officers. Haseltine '17 was reelected leader; Knapp '17 was chosen manager, and Scott '18, assistant manager. The Band has had a very successful year. Memorial Day it played for the G. A. R. in Brunswick and last Wednesday played for the Chamber of Commerce celebration in the parade in the morning, and on the mall in the afternoon. The Band has also given several concerts on the campus this spring. Applications for membership in next year's Band should be made to the manager.

### Club and Council Meetings

At a recent meeting of the Athletic Council 11 men were awarded baseball "B's" and 17 men the track letter. Those who received the baseball letter were: Captain Eaton '15, Fraser '16, McElwee '16, Bradford '17, Chapman '17, Goodskew '17, Phillips '17, Donnell '18, Stanley '18, Woodman '18 and Manager Dunn '16. The following men were awarded the track "B": Captain McKenney '15, McWilliams '15, Smith '15, C. Hall '16, Irving '16, Leadbetter '16, Moulton '16, Webber '16, Wood '16, Balfe '17, Crosby '17, Pierce '17, Sampson '17, H. White '17, Savage '18, C. A.

Wyman '18 and Manager Chase '16.

The Athletic Council awarded tennis letters to the following men last week: Captain Card '15, Eaton '15, Larrabee '16, White '16 and Flynt '17.

The Gibbons Club has elected the following officers for next year: President, Kelley '16; vice-president, Dunn '16; secretary and treasurer, Phillips '17.

### With the Faculty

President Hyde attended the inauguration of President Bumpus at Tufts College, Medford, Mass., last Saturday.

Professor Hormell has left for the University of Illinois where he will teach in the Summer School.

Dr. Little will be in Brunswick all summer working upon the catalogue of non-graduates of the College which will probably be completed by September.

Mr. Wilder will spend the summer at his home in Pembroke, Maine.

Professor Catlin will remain in Brunswick during the summer.

### On the Campus

Totman '18 has left college.

The football men are asked to give their summer addresses to Manager Garland.

Canney '16 will remain on the campus again this summer as assistant in the Library.

Seward G. Spoor, president of the Grand Lodge of Theta Delta Chi, visited Eta Charge recently.

The Alumni Associations of Androscoggin and Kennebec Counties held a field day at Tacoma Inn Saturday.

A call has been sent out for candidates for assistant manager of football. Names should be handed to Garland '16.

Campbell '16 has accepted a call to become pastor of the North Deering Congregational Church near Portland for next year.

Among those recently on the campus were Wentworth '09, Crowell '13, Leigh '14, Newcombe '14, Russell '14, Bacon ex-'16, Ashey ex-'18, Morrison ex-'18.

Chemistry is the most popular major chosen by 1916, 18 having elected it. German comes next with 13 and History with 12. Economics and German are tied for first in the choice of minors.

The Library will be open as usual during the summer and several non-residents have indicated their intentions of studying there during the vacation. The summer hours are from 10 to 12.30 and from 1.30 to 4.30.



## Alumni Department

'56.—In his annual report President Hyde speaks of Mr. Galen C. Moses as follows:

"Galen Clapp Moses died on the nineteenth day of April, 1915, in the eightieth year of his age. He graduated from Bowdoin College in 1856, and received the degree of A.M. in 1859. Since 1865 he had been treasurer of the Worumbo Manufacturing Company. He gave Bath its public library and was the principal giver of the Bath Y. M. C. A. Building. Since 1880 he has been an Overseer of Bowdoin College: since 1886 he has been on the finance committee of the college: and since 1912 he has been President of the Board of Overseers. He was a trustee of Bangor Theological Seminary; and a member of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions.

"He was a most liberal giver to the College, the Seminary, Home and Foreign Missions, and a host of benevolences public and private. His liberality is the more remarkable in view of the fact that it did not spring from a natural propensity to give; but had to be acquired by an arduous struggle to make over his nature in this respect in accordance with Christian principles. As citizen, churchman, alumnus, trustee, director and treasurer, he was public-spirited, devoted and vigilant."

'59.—Dr. Alfred Mitchell died at his home in Brunswick on Sunday morning, June 13. Dr. Mitchell was born in North Yarmouth, March 17, 1837, son of Trisham Gilman Mitchell and Elizabeth Bucknam Chandler Mitchell. He fitted for college at Yarmouth Institute and North Yarmouth Academy, received his degree of Bachelor of Arts in 1859, the degree of A.M. in '62 and LL.D. in 1907. His medical education was received at Portland and with Charles S. D. Fessenden '48, and he graduated in 1865 from the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Columbia University. After serving during a part of the Civil War as assistant surgeon of the Maine Regiment he began his service as a member of the faculty of the Medical School of Maine in 1869, when he was elected assistant professor of pathology and practice of medicine. In 1873 he was made secretary of the Medical Faculty and professor of obstetrics and diseases of children and from 1875 to 1892 he was professor of gynecology. In 1897 he became lecturer on pathology and practice of medicine and was made a full professor of the subject in 1898. Since that time he served as professor of internal medicine and in 1911 became professor emeritus. He was dean of the Medical School from 1898 to 1911 when he retired from active service after 42 years of connection with the school. Since 1878 Dr. Mitchell was a consulting physician of the Maine General Hospital, of the Central Maine General Hospital at Lewiston and the Children's Hospital at Portland. He was a fellow of the American Academy of Medicine, and in 1892-93 was president of the Maine Medical Association. Dr. Mitchell was a

In 1865 he married Abbie E. Swett of Brunswick, who died in 1913. He is survived by two sons and two daughters.

'65.—Charles Fish, for twenty-seven years principal of the Brunswick High School, died Tuesday morning, June 8, at his home in Brunswick. During his principalship about four hundred pupils were graduated from the school and several hundred more came under his influence. That this influence was always in favor of honesty and square-dealing is the unanimous testimony of his pupils. No misdemeanor in school aroused his anger except lying; thorough scholarship and integrity of character he sought to develop in his pupils more by example than by precept. Modest and retiring to a fault, only those who came into close contact with him recognized the unselfish devotion of his whole life to the interests of the schools of which he was the head.

Mr. Fish was born in Lincoln on September 2, 1832. He was graduated from Bowdoin in 1865, and three years later received the degree of A.M. From 1866 to 1871 he was principal of Washington Academy; from 1872 to 1875, of the Hallowell Classical High School; from 1875 to 1877, of Old Town High School; and from 1878 to 1905, of the Brunswick High School.

Mr. Fish is survived by his wife; a daughter, Miss Mary Fish, a teacher in the Brunswick High School; and three sons, Ira L. Fish and Fred O. Fish, of Boston; and Ralph E. Fish, of Taunton, Mass.

'95.—Rev. Archie G. Axtell, since September 1910 has been Director of the Blanche Kellogg Institute at Santurce, Porto Rico, which was founded in 1899 by an American business man as a memorial to his daughter. Since Mr. Axtell's connection with it, the Institute has increased in size and usefulness, and now fills a large place in the educational, social and religious work of the island. It consists of a private school, which is the tuition department, a free department, where household art and domestic science are taught, a social settlement, and a Congregational Church and Sunday School. There are three buildings on the Institute grounds, a school building, which is also a home for teachers, the cost of construction having been defrayed half by the founder and half by the Christian Endeavor Society, the Adams Chapel, and the Social Settlement House. Mr. Axtell has four assistants on the faculty, besides two teachers in commercial branches and one in Spanish and English. Mrs. Axtell is matron and assists in the teaching, and the successful work of the Institute in all its departments is very largely due to her faithful and efficient labors. The pupils include both natives and Americans.

Mr. Axtell expects to attend the reunion of his class next week.

'12.—Edward O. Leigh of Seattle was married to Miss Vera O. Twist of Seattle on April 14, 1915. Mr. Leigh is treasurer of the Leigh Lumber and Manufacturing Co.

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## 110TH COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

*Sunday, June 20*

The Baccalaureate Sermon by President Hyde, in the Congregational Church at 4 P. M.

*Monday, June 21*

The Alexander Prize Speaking in Memorial Hall at 8 P. M.

*Tuesday, June 22*

The Class Day Exercises of the graduating class in Memorial Hall at 10 A. M. and under the Thorndike Oak at 3 P. M.

Senior dance in the Gymnasium at 9 P. M.

Meeting of the Trustees in the Classical Room, Hubbard Hall, at 2 P. M.

Meeting of the Overseers in the Lecture Room, Hubbard Hall, at 7 P. M.

*Wednesday, June 23*

The annual meeting of the Phi Beta Kappa Fraternity, Alpha of Maine, in the Alumni Room, Hubbard Hall, at 11 A. M.

Baseball game, Alumni vs. Varsity, Whittier Field, at 11 A. M.

Meeting of the class secretaries in the Chemical Lecture Room, at 11.30 A. M.

The annual meeting of the Alumni Association at 1.30 P. M., in the Sargent Gymnasium, preceded by a buffet lunch at 12.30.

Out-door presentation of "As You Like It" by the Masque and Gown at 4 P. M.

Band concert, on the campus, at 7.30 P. M.

Reception by the President and Mrs. Hyde in Hubbard Hall from 8 to 11 P. M.

*Thursday, June 24*

The Commencement Exercises of the College and Medical School in the Congregational Church at 10.30 A. M., followed by the Commencement Dinner in the Gymnasium.

The Reunion Trophy, presented by David William Snow, Esq., '73, and now held by the class of 1894, will be awarded to the class that secures the attendance of the largest percentage of its members.

## CLASS OF 1915 OFFICERS

President, Ellsworth A. Stone.

Vice-President, James A. Lewis.

Secretary-Treasurer, Clifford T. Perkins.

Class Marshal, A. Keith Eaton.

Opening Address, G. Arthur McWilliams.

Closing Address, Francis P. McKenney.

Orator, George A. Hall, Jr.

Poet, Robert P. Coffin.

Historian, Austin H. MacCormick.

Chaplain, Elisha P. Cutler.

Class Day Committee, A. Keith Eaton, chairman, Gordon P. Floyd, Samuel West, Joseph C. MacDonald, James B. Lappin.

## THE BACCALAUREATE SERMON

President Hyde took for his subject "The Greater Blessedness," and his text, "Remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how He Himself said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive,' " Acts 20:35.

He spoke in part as follows:

"The great distinction between nations, as between men, is between those who merely seek to get, and those who seek to get that they may give. The reason why the sympathy of the world is with the allies rather than the Germans is because most of us feel that while both are seeking to get and hold their own, there is more of the desire to give the world what is for its good in the camp of the allies than in the camp of the Germans.

"The great issue in the United States is not between those who seek to get peace and those who seek to get power for our country; it is between those who seek to get either peace or power for our country on the one side; and on the other side those who, under the lead of our great President, seek to maintain the power necessary to do our part in giving the world humane warfare so long as war is unavoidable, and just and lasting peace as soon as peace is possible. The great issue in economics is between those who seek to get all they can, in any way they can; and those who, either by welfare work, or profit-sharing, or arbitration, or government control, seek to give consumers good services and employes fair wages.

"Members of the graduating class, one of your number in an English course struck out so fine a figure that at this time I cannot do better than give it back to you, as the parting message of the college.

"His figure for the college was the Thorndike oak, which trusts its acorns in due time to develop

into oaks. Precisely so the college trusts you to be true to type. And what is the type of Bowdoin College which each of you is bound to produce? Surely not self-seeking. Her aim has not been what she could get out of you for her own good; but what she could put into you for your good. Let that be your aim in all your dealings with your fellowman and with the world. So shall you be Christian sons of this Christian college; so shall you enter into the greater blessedness that goes with just and generous giving of the best it is in your power to be and do."

#### ALEXANDER PRIZE SPEAKING

Mooers '18 won the Alexander Prize Speaking contest held in Memorial Hall, Monday evening. Eaton '17 won second place. The alternates were Bowdoin '17, Grant '18, Roper '18.

The judges were Rev. Everett S. Stackpole, D.D., '71, Principal Charles L. Smith and Winston B. Stephens, A.M., '10.

The speakers and their parts:

The Admiral's Ghost,	<i>Noyes</i>
Erik Achorn '17	
The Army of the Potomac,	<i>Depew</i>
Harvey Daniel Miller '17	
The Triumph of Peace,	<i>Chapin</i>
Willis Richardson Sanderson '18	
Music	
War (from the Crown of Wild Olive),	<i>Ruskin</i>
John Bowers Matthews '18	
The Cratchits' Christmas Dinner,	<i>Dickens</i>
Horatio Tobey Mooers '18	
After Blenheim,	<i>Southey</i>
The Last Battle,	<i>Noyes</i>
Raymond Foster Colby '17	
For the German People, Peace with Freedom,	
New York <i>Times</i> , December 15, 1914	
Roland Leonard Eaton '17	
The Moral Equivalent of War (Abridged) <i>James</i>	
Frank Edward Phillips '17	
Fight (Abridged),	<i>MacKaye</i>
Frederick William Willey '17	

#### Class Day Exercises

##### POEM—R. P. COFFIN

The class poem by Robert P. Coffin voiced in a rare degree and in glowing words the intensity of youth's belief in its right to dream and in that "Better part, so often scorned by those  
For whom a story is a story—lo!

The Hurry-Folk forget youth's minstrelsy;  
Their gold-dulled eyes can never catch the glow  
Soft-shining from nymph-haunted Arcady."

#### ORATION—G. A. HALL, JR.

(Abstract.)

In his oration, George A. Hall, Jr., dealt with the two objects of the college; the primary object, that of pure education, and the secondary aspect, that of development by means of activities outside of the curriculum. Mr. Hall said in part:

For a profitable consideration of this college world we must first look at the great evolution of college education in the last century. A century ago the equipment and principal object of a college was to fit a man for a particular profession; today it serves not only this end but a much broader function—to prepare the student for the great profession of modern life. It is in promoting this additional function of college that the extra curriculum activities are important. So while the scholastic is now as before the primary object of college, the extra curriculum or secondary aspect has become so closely connected with it, so important to it in the performance of its function, so important to the student for an all-round development that an ideal system is necessary for an ideal college.

The presence of so many and varied activities is due to the cosmopolitan composition of the college. While the wide field of activity is valuable to the student, it is likewise of the greatest importance to the college for it creates the great link between the college and the man—college spirit.

Extra curriculum activities have become closely interwoven in the fabric of the modern college. The effective administration of undergraduate activity is a potent factor in the perpetuation of our great heritage—Bowdoin spirit. When run by a few they give this spirit in a comparative degree, when generously participated in by all they raise the spirit to the superlative. In college as well as world activity there is the greatest need for a higher specialization.

Bowdoin, with its wonderful equipment, large faculty, wide curriculum and progressive principles, is ideal in the primary object of college. But to have an ideal college whole it is necessary to have ideal undergraduate activity, which means that every man must give more to the secondary aspect. Men in the past and present have labored for Bowdoin, and they have "buildd well." But to reach the ideal it is necessary for more, yes, for all, to feel, think and act in the highest degree with the lines of our famous song:

"Bowdoin Beata,  
O dear Alma Mater,  
There is no fairer mother, 'neath the sun."



## OPENING ADDRESS—G. A. McWILLIAMS

(Abstract.)

In his opening address G. Arthur McWilliams extended a cordial welcome to the parents and friends of the Seniors and alumni of the college and then spoke in part as follows:

Graduated as we are from a college of liberal arts without specific training for a particular vocation, we are asked to supply the demand for practical and efficient men. Have our four years at Bowdoin given us the necessary qualification? No, a general education does not make the finished engineer, the builder or the architect. The graduate from an institution such as ours does not take away facts to turn into money, but on the other hand he departs with well trained faculties that he can turn into anything he chooses.

We have received a higher education from Bowdoin in order to have greater power to reflect upon knowledge or to find motives for progress or useful action. He who has received such advantages can better accomplish what he has to do, for his is a mind of larger interests, greater capacity and struggling ambitions.

The pride and glory of Bowdoin College is not in the size of her classes or in their petty traditional rivalries, but in the spirit which in later years brings them back at this commencement time to their alma mater; not in the cost and use of the Art Building, but in the art that finds expression there; not in her business investments, but in the lofty views and skill of her professors.

This is the ideal, the spirit that we need to keep alive, the purpose of an education. Let material prosperity be only contributory to this end. The practical will take care of itself. As long as we have faith in the human soul, the liberal education will stand out as the ideal one. It gives the best all around development for action, pleasure and knowledge.

And classmates, as we go from these sequestered halls to our places in the busy whirl of material progress we shall take with us a deeper significance and greater appreciation of life from the lessons we have learned among the whispering pines of Old Bowdoin.

## HISTORY—A. H. MacCORMICK

(Abstract.)

The class of 1915 entered Bowdoin in the fall of 1911, with members from both the city and the country. During Freshman year the class became victims to Sophomoric visitations, but managed to take more than its share of victories in the athletic contests between the two lower classes; a year later as Sophomores the members of 1915 assumed the position of directors to the Fresh-

men. During Junior year came the beginning of prominence in undergraduate activities and leadership in them, and finally, during this year, has come the active leadership and management of student affairs. Throughout its four years the class has taken part in athletics, studies and social life, and has enjoyed participation in all. And now has come the time to say farewell to the college and friends from the Faculty and student body. "From these four years we go forth, perhaps at last to make history, at least to write on the scroll of history a record of devotion to the ideals which have come to us within these walls. 'Long is the road to the college-mother's side' but back will come to her forever the tender homage of her sons of 1915."

## CLOSING ADDRESS—F. P. McKENNEY

(Abstract.)

In his closing address, Francis P. McKenney said in part:

It is impossible for us here today to say farewell to this campus without a feeling of sadness. We cannot easily express our feelings to you, for it is the concentration of our four years of life and work in this wonderful spot. The tie that binds us, that we detach so reluctantly today, is so manifold, so complex, so intricate, that one must needs experience it for one's self to fully appreciate it. Could I but take you with me through our college career—could you but see us as we came here, a crowd of bewildered, unsophisticated Freshmen, lost in a cold and hostile college world. Could you hear, out of the excitement, the demand, unvoiced, but none the less potent, "What are you going to do for Bowdoin?" For you have learned that here wealth and influence count for nothing. "A man's a man for a' that," and he's judged by what he does for the college. It is not simply the natural reluctance at leaving the spot that has been one's residence for four years. It is deep sorrow at leaving our intellectual mother.

As we gather here beneath this oak, planted by a member of the first class that ever graduated from Bowdoin, and beneath the boughs of which so many loyal men have gone out to do their work in the world there comes to our mind the thought of how like the college it is.

Just as the mother oak puts into every acorn all that is necessary for the development of another strong, sturdy tree, so in us the college has instilled all that goes to make up a clean, inspiring, helpful character. Each one of us is a depository of the highest ideals old Bowdoin stands for. Wherever there are wrongs to be righted,

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## A Bouquet for the Graduates

To the members of the graduating class we extend our hearty congratulations for the successful completion of a four years' course at Bowdoin. To record the past of the class is the task of the historian; to predict the future, that of the prophet. We are neither historic nor prophetic. We simply express the hope and the belief that Bowdoin's newest alumni will achieve the success that is their heritage.

## Another Purpose for the Union

The attention of alumni is called to the significance of the Bowdoin Union from another point

of view,—from that of the advantages which alumni can and will receive from the proposed institution. The Sargent Gymnasium—which will soon become the Union—is so closely associated with undergraduate memories of alumni of the past quarter century that there could be no better place for alumni gatherings of any kind. When the Union is equipped with the social and culinary apparatus now planned, it will be the ideal place for class reunions and dinners. The Union is not solely an undergraduate institution.

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wherever there are corrupt practices to be reformed, wherever there are words of comfort to be said, there you will find Bowdoin men in the front rank of progress, blazing the way in the quest of the best. There, please God, will we be.

With the best the college can offer in our veins, with the glorious past and equally glorious present of Bowdoin men in the world to spur us on, with loyal Bowdoin spirit in our hearts we can say goodbye in quiet confidence that we shall prove worthy of our trust. We may not achieve wealth, fame may withhold her laurels from us, power we may never have. Yet we will do our duty as we see it and if we hear our alma mater's simple "Well done, good and faithful servant," we shall be content.

## COMMENCEMENT HOP

Class Day was brought to a successful close by the Senior dance in the New Gymnasium. In addition to the Seniors and their guests, a large number of alumni were present.

The Gymnasium was bedecked in the class colors, red and white serpentine paper being draped from a ring in the middle of the roof in a bell-shaped canopy to the sides. Fraternity booths were arranged along the sides of the big hall. Palms, potted plants and cut flowers were used for the decorations of the booths.

The patronesses, Mrs. Charles C. Hutchins, Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell, Mrs. Charles T. Burdett, Mrs. Roscoe J. Ham, Mrs. Manton Copeland, Mrs. George R. Elliott and Mrs. Lee D. McClean, received for half an hour before dancing began at 9 o'clock. Music for the order of 24 dances was furnished by Chandler's orchestra of Portland. Given of Brunswick was the caterer.

The dance orders were very attractive, being of German silver with the Bowdoin seal and 1915 on the cover. The cord used was of the class colors, red and white.

Among those present were Miss Marion Corey, Miss Gladys Burr, Miss Marion Elwell, Miss

Marion Smart, Miss Ruth Little, Miss Katherine Hall, Miss Edith Koon, Miss Belle McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. Philip G. Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Elwell, Mr. and Mrs. George Burnham Morrill, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lee Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Clement F. Robinson of Portland; Miss Mary Allen, Miss Helen Snow, Miss Marjorie Strout, Miss Alexina Lapointe, Miss Marguerite Hutchins, Miss Isabel Forsaith, Miss Mary Elliott, Miss Ruth Nearing, Miss Marion Strout, Miss Ruth Lovell, Miss Helen Fish, Miss Lorette Lapointe, Miss Ellen Baxter, Miss Helen Mitchell, Miss Sarah Baxter, Miss Clare Ridley, Miss Yvette Lapointe, Miss Alfaretta Graves, Miss Lucinda Blaisdell, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Flint Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Eaton, Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Stetson of Brunswick; Miss Miriam Kimball, Miss Carol Percy, Miss Leonice Morse, Miss Pauline Hatch, Miss Millicent Clifford, Miss Dorothy Nichols of Bath; Miss Edith Hopkins of North Haven; Miss Mildred Morrison, Mrs. Charles C. Morrison of Bar Harbor; Miss Frances Eaton of Calais; Miss Eleanor Livingston, Miss Louise Gibbs of Bridgton; Miss Madelyn Plummer of Lisbon Falls; Miss Margaret Kimball of Northeast Harbor; Miss Madge Tooker of Cherryfield; Miss Dorothy Spinney of Sanford; Miss Leone Golden, Miss Ethel Haswell of Lewiston; Miss Ruth Morrill of Biddeford; Miss Iva Record of Auburn; Miss Dorothy Bird of Rockland; Miss Elizabeth Thaxter of Bangor; Miss Marguerite Lowell of Augusta; Miss Eleanor Boardman, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Boardman of Guilford; Miss Elizabeth Edwards, Miss Helen Lynch, Miss Mildred Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Cole of Cambridge, Mass.; Miss Grace Allen, Mrs. T. B. Allen of Salem; Miss Gladys West, Mrs. Sarah West of Somerville, Mass.; Miss Elizabeth Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brooks of Norwalk, Conn.; Miss Ruth Phillips of Roxbury, Mass.; Miss Lois Bodurtha of Westfield, Mass.; Miss Elizabeth Gibbs of Brookline, Mass.; Mrs. Myron E. Bacon of Auburndale, Mass.; Miss Elizabeth Eastman of Lowell, Mass.; Miss Florence Dunton of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loring of Reading, Mass.; Miss Priscilla Magoun of Haddonfield, N. J.; Miss Mary Dawson of Uniontown, Pa.; Miss Martha Shipley of Cincinnati, O.; Miss Ruth Chandler of Rocky Hill, Conn.; Miss Isabelle Piedra of New York City; Miss Helen Woodbury of Leominster, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Hunt of Orange, N. J.

#### ALUMNI 7, VARSITY 2

At 11 o'clock Wednesday morning the Alumni defeated the Varsity 7 to 2 at Whittier Field. The

game was featured by the pitching on both teams, and by the batting of Clifford and throwing of Bradford.

The score:

ALUMNI						
	ab	r	1b	po	a	e
Files '08, cf, p ....	2	1	0	0	0	1
Hobbs '10, p .....	1	0	0	0	0	0
Clifford '11, c .....	4	2	1	5	1	1
Manter '11, 2b ....	4	1	2	6	1	1
Stanwood '08, 1b ..	3	1	1	5	0	0
Means '12, p, cf ...	2	1	1	0	4	1
Smith '12, lf .....	1	0	0	2	0	0
Lawliss '11, rf ....	3	0	1	2	0	0
Hodgson '06, 3b ...	3	0	0	0	2	0
White '05, ss .....	3	1	1	1	3	0
	26	7	7	21	11	4
VARSITY						
	ab	r	1b	po	a	e
Phillips, lf .....	3	1	2	0	0	0
Chapman, 3b .....	4	0	0	1	1	1
Eaton, 1b .....	3	0	0	8	0	1
Bradford, c .....	2	0	0	6	2	0
Kuhn, 2b .....	3	0	1	1	0	0
Dyar, rf .....	2	0	1	1	1	1
Woodcock, p .....	1	0	0	0	2	0
Dodge, p .....	2	0	0	0	0	1
Coxe, ss .....	3	0	0	1	1	1
Allen, cf .....	2	1	0	0	0	0
	25	2	4	18	7	5

Two base hit, Clifford. First base on balls, off Means 1, off Hobbs 1, off Dodge 4. Struck out, by Means 5, by Dodge 5, by Woodcock 1. Stolen bases, Manter, Phillips (2), Chapman, Eaton, Dodge. Wild pitch, Means. Time, 1 hr., 15 min. Umpire, Coogan.

#### ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

At the meeting of the Alumni Association the following officers were elected for three years:

President—K. C. M. Sills '01.

Vice-President—A. Sanford '76.

Secretary-Treasurer—G. G. Wilder '04.

Committee on Pray Prize—A. F. Moulton '73, A. W. Tolman '88 and L. P. Libby '09.

Members of Athletic Council—C. T. Hawes '76, F. C. Payson '76, G. C. Purington '04, D. White '05 and B. Potter '78.

The constitution given in the ORIENT recently was adopted with some slight changes.

A lengthy discussion ensued relative to an athletic director. It was moved that the sense of the meeting be that an athletic director is desirable, but the motion was lost. It was moved that the



Boards of Trustees and Overseers be requested to consider the advisability of securing an athletic director.

#### MEETING OF CLASS SECRETARIES

About forty classes were represented at the organization meeting of the class secretaries held Wednesday morning in the Searles Science Building. The classes represented ranged from 1861 to 1915. The officers elected:

President—J. C. Minott '96.

Vice-President—H. S. Chapman '91.

Secretary-Treasurer—F. L. Pennell '08.

#### PHI BETA KAPPA

At the annual meeting of the Phi Beta Kappa fraternity, Alpha of Maine, Wednesday morning, the following officers were elected:

President—Dr. F. H. Gerrish '66.

Vice-President—Professor F. E. Woodruff.

Secretary-Treasurer—Professor G. T. Files '89.

Literary Committee—S. V. Cole '74, M. P. Gram '04, C. P. Cutler '81, H. S. Chapman '91, P. G. Clifford '03.

Dr. Gerrish takes the position as president left vacant by the death of General Thomas Hamlin Hubbard.

The literary committee were chosen to prepare a banquet to be held soon for all the Phi Beta Kappa men in Maine.

The men initiated were: R. E. Bodurtha '15, E. C. Cooley '15, E. R. Elwell '15, J. R. Hamel '15, J. A. Lewis '15, J. L. Baxter '16, J. A. Dunn '16, G. W. Leadbetter '16, J. G. Winter '16.

The men from 1915 initiated last year were R. P. Coffin, A. H. McCormick, F. P. McKenney and C. T. Perkins.

#### "AS YOU LIKE IT"

Yesterday afternoon the Masque and Gown presented Shakespeare's "As You Like It" on the Art Building steps. The play was given under the personal direction of Mrs. Arthur F. Brown, assisted by Professor Elliott. The play was unfortunately broken up, when about half-way through, by a shower. The cast:

The Duke .....	Noble '16
Duke Frederick .....	Mooers '18
Amiens .....	Thomas '18
Jacques .....	Tackaberry '15
Le Beau .....	Achorn '17
Oliver .....	Berryman '18
Orlando .....	Gray '18
Adam .....	Willey '17
Charles .....	Ireland '16

William .....	Maguire '17
Touchstone .....	Joyce '18
Sylvius .....	Smith '15
Corin .....	Pettingill '16
Jacques de Bois .....	Rickard '17
Foresters .....	West '15, McQuillan '18
Rosalind .....	Churchill '16
Celia .....	Melloon '15
Phoebe .....	King '17

#### PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION

Wednesday evening in Hubbard Hall the President held a reception from 8 to 11. In the receiving line were President and Mrs. Hyde, Dr. and Mrs. Burnett and Dr. and Mrs. Copeland.

#### Commencement Exercises

##### R. P. COFFIN

##### THE DREAMER AT NOON

##### (Abstract.)

"The reign of fancy is the reign of truth," says the born-dreamer, Maurice Maeterlinck. In this feverish age, however, when men are beginning to make telling scores in their age-old struggle to conquer space, matter and time, we are apt, unfortunately, to seek truth in test-tubes and dynamos wholly rather than in the imagination. We have gotten well on towards the heat of the day and dreams, however pleasant they were with the dew still on the grass, we seem ashamed of at high noon. The beehive of our modern world glows fervid with action and dreamers, we think, are drones. Yet dreamers have the way of happening upon the things of abiding value; there was never a time before when we stood so in need of them. Our realism is becoming fantastic and our very clearness obscure; we have lost our way in the cities of our own making, we no longer see the stars.

At such a time, a weaver or romance like the Belgian Maeterlinck is most refreshing and helpful. Yet Maeterlinck is no old-world dreamer sitting aloof from the abodes of men. He is keenly alive to his age, he has made a science of the beautiful and the fanciful. The ultimate truth which he has found is this: the human soul is the supreme reality; upon this Maeterlinck has reared his, the Poetic Philosophy.

So we may follow Maeterlinck, the prophet of the Sovereign Soul, as he goes up on his way through the valley of fancy towards the heights of true vision. So we can shut the brazen gates of the City of Fear behind us, casting off the age-old fetters of necessity and go forth building out of the blind, unconscious chaos of nature and in



the face of the phantom death our world of sunshine and flowers, of laughter and song. And somewhere, up the vanishing highway of our own making, we may come into the seven-ported garden of eternal peace, and see, down the vistaed arches, flitting in the opalescent light, the blue birds of happiness that live in this garden of dreams.

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**J. R. HAMEL**

**HEREDITY AND RACE DEVELOPMENT**

(Abstract)

Human advancement must, in the future, depend on nature as well as nurture. Up to the present the world has considered almost exclusively the influence of environment, it being thought that through the development of the individual by education, better surroundings and a higher standard of living permanent improvement of the race would be effected. Since it has been proved that nurture cannot permanently improve the inherent qualities of the species *homo sapiens*, there is nothing left but nature. Of old, man observed that like begets like, but aside from noting this general trend of heredity little definite was known. For centuries animal breeders worked on this assumption with striking results, but the lesson that man himself might be subject to such improvement was lost.

In the light of heredity modern conditions are significant. The elimination of the totally unfit would be a comparatively simple matter by segregation and by other methods known to the medical profession. As to how the fit may be improved the answer lies with the people themselves. Public opinion, stimulated by scientific research, must be aroused and finally incorporated in appropriate legislation. Clearly it is the duty of every intelligent man who has any love of humanity or of country to acquaint himself with the fundamentals underlying the subject of race betterment and to help in the solution of its problems. Let it be remembered, the noblest heritage that can be left future generations is the right to be well born.

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**G. W. BACON**

**THE TRUE PATRIOTISM**

(Abstract.)

The test of the greatness which each nation seeks is service and the greatest services have been rendered by the smallest nations. This dream of international idealism is not an idle one. National deeds of altruism are not wanting. The United States has dealt fairly with foreign nations; in the present war we have rendered ma-

terial aid to the unfortunate nations of Belgium and Servia.

Because of this tradition of fair dealing which we have developed a peculiar obligation rests upon us; in the reconstruction of political and moral ideals that must follow this war the older nations will look to us to take the lead. "There is a glory to win, but not the glory of national aggrandizement, but the glory of leading the nations to a recognition of the true patriotism—the international patriotism that takes account the good of all and so the good of each. This is the true patriotism and dark as the immediate future looks the truth will triumph."

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**A. H. MacCORMICK**

**A NEW DAY FOR THE CRIMINAL**

(Abstract.)

The people of the United States, proud of the freedom which is in the very air we breathe, are just coming out of a black night of medievalism and barbarism. For decades we have tolerated an inhuman and antiquated prison system, an unenlightened and unchristian treatment of the criminal, and a primeval penal code founded on the principle of retribution. \* \* \* In the name of the laws of Man, we have broken the laws of God, placing our captives in what is a veritable slavery, heaping on them disease, debasement and degradation, and turning them away at last dishonored, helpless, and hopeless. \* \* \* Yet after the black night of medievalism there is coming the light of a new day. \* \* \* A new penalty has come, which rejects the stone fortress type of prison for the prison farm or the well equipped industrial establishment, substituting light for darkness, health for disease, uplift for repression. \* \* \* The light of the new day is growing brighter but there are sections of our land which it has scarcely touched as yet. Here in Maine we cannot refuse to face the fact that we are woefully and inexcusably behind the times in our treatment of the criminal and of the incipient criminal. \* \* \* The criminal cries, by the God-given right to redemption, for just and humane treatment and for reform of the conditions which crush and destroy manhood already pitifully weak. How long shall we deny him answer? How long before we shall see the light of the new day and throw the overwhelming force of public opinion on the side of right and justice?

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**K. E. RAMSAY**

**THE WORLD'S DEBT TO BELGIUM**

(Abstract.)

The half of one day, and that from seven in

the evening to seven in the morning, Belgium received in the German ultimatum to make the most sudden and most momentous decision of her national existence. That the Kaiser's demand was so sudden and unexpected was due to Belgium's peculiar status among European nations. From the "battlefield of Europe" she had come to be a neutral nation. Out of the clear sky, which the nations of Europe had spread over her to protect her peace and her prosperity, came this thunderbolt of international deceit. Into the scale went her economic and commercial interests; the freedom from the enormous loss of life and property which goes hand and hand with all war.

But the other scale? Into this scale went all the dictates of her honor, her faith, her soul. As sudden and swift as this supreme alternative was thrust upon her, even so sudden and swift came her reply. To Germany Belgium made the great refusal. The series of alternate triumphs and reverses that have come to her are fresh in our minds. Of greater significance for the moment is the death that has come to industry and commerce plunging a whole nation into unemployment and fast following starvation. What have others gained through this infinite and unutterable sacrifice?

France and England have much for which to be grateful to the seven millions of sufferers—but the world's chief debt to Belgium is in terms of Christianity, as an example of heroic self-sacrifice. She was defending her God—the God of Christendom—a god of right and justice, not of might and force.

How can we pay this world's debt? We can best recognize our debt—who kneel before the burning, bloody shrine on which Belgium has offered up her life, with gratitude, thanksgiving and prayer that shall breed good deeds, honor and justice for all mankind.

#### HONORARY DEGREES

##### *Master of Arts.*

David William Snow '73. Able and effective lawyer, public-spirited citizen, loyal son and friend of the college.

Marshall Wheelock Davis '74. Thorough scholar; stimulating teacher; instructor in languages in the Roxbury Latin School.

Charles Clark Willoughby. A self-taught scientist who has become an authority among teachers of science; Director of the Peabody Museum at Cambridge.

##### *Doctor of Divinity.*

Edward Newman Packard '62. Faithful Christian minister in city and country; worthy repre-

sentative of an honored Bowdoin family; devoted Overseer of the college.

Chauncey William Goodrich. Gracious interpreter in precept and personality of the mind and heart of Christ; Minister of the First Parish Church.

#### HONORARY APPOINTMENTS

*Summa cum laude*—Robert Peter Coffin.

*Magna cum laude*—Clifford Thompson Perkins.

*Cum laude*—Robert Ellsworth Bodurtha, Elmer Carroll Cooley, George Linsley Cristy, Edward Richardson Elwell, Gordon Pierce Floyd, John Ralph Hamel, James Abram Lewis, Austin Harbutt MacCormick, Joseph Cony MacDonald, Francis Paul McKenney, Kenneth Elmer Ramsay, George Worcester Ricker, George Henry Talbot, John Wesley Threlfall.

#### CLASS OF 1915

##### *Awarded the Degree of Bachelor of Arts*

Brainerd Lucas Adams  
Hebron Mayhew Adams  
William Aitchison  
Harry Everett Allen  
Elden Hiram Austin  
George William Bacon  
Thomas Bruce Bitler  
Robert Ellsworth Bodurtha  
Clarence Arthur Brown  
Philip Livingstone Card  
Harry Murray Chatto  
Robert Peter Coffin  
Elmer Carroll Cooley  
Warren Crosby Coombs  
Fred Walter Cox  
George Linley Cristy  
Elisha Pomeroy Cutler  
Paul Douglas Demmons  
Leon French Dow  
Robert Manson Dunton  
Edward Richardson Elwell  
Robert Joseph Evans  
William Haskell Farrar  
Joseph Coombs Fessenden  
George Albert Hall, Jr.  
John Ralph Hamel  
Maynard Albert Hastings  
Otto Rockefeller Folsom-Jones  
William Owen Keegan  
Frank Earle Knowlton  
Paul Joseph Koughan  
Maynard Henderson Kuhn  
James Blaine Lappin  
William Towle Livingston  
Kimball Atherton Loring  
Austin Harbutt MacCormick

Joseph Cony MacDonald  
Francis Wood McCargo  
Francis Paul McKenney  
Max Verne McKinnon  
George Arthur McWilliams  
Daniel Maurice Mannix  
Stanwood Alexander Melcher  
Ralph Reid Melloon

Dana Kinsman Merrill  
Ivan Colson Merrill  
Charles Carr Morrison, Jr.  
Manning Cole Moulton  
Clifford Thompson Perkins  
Philip Webb Porritt  
Harold Milton Prescott  
Kenneth Elmer Ramsay  
Gordon Dana Richardson  
Frank Stanwood Roberts  
Clarence Eugene Robinson  
Daniel Wilson Rodick  
Charles Talbot Rogers  
John Fox Rollins  
Ellsworth Allen Stone  
Alvah Booker Stetson  
William George Tackaberry  
George Henry Talbot  
John Wesley Threlfall  
Harold Everett Verrill  
Samuel West  
Paul Llewellyn Wing  
Vernon Pierce Woodbury  
James Preble Wright

*Awarded the Degree of Bachelor of Science*

Roger Kimball Eastman  
Albion Keith Eaton  
Gordon Pierce Floyd  
Arthur Griffin Hildreth  
Herbert Alton Lewis  
James Abram Lewis  
George Worcester Ricker  
Philip Sidney Smith

*Awarded the Degree of Doctor of Medicine*

Elton Randolph Blaisdell  
Frank Laforest Collins  
Carl George Dennett  
Francis Sherman Echols  
Isaac Louis Gordon  
Carl Dinsmore Gray  
Herbert Francis Hale, A.B.  
Holland George Hambleton  
Eugene Leslie Hutchins  
Linwood Hill Johnson  
Charles Wesley Kinghorn  
Herbert Luther Lombard, A.B.  
Burleigh Burton Mansfield  
William John O'Connor  
Julius Calvin Oram, A.B.

Arthur Hale Parcher, A.B.  
Nahum Roy Pillsbury  
Robert Cole Pletts  
Frank Arthur Smith, A.B.  
George Alton Tibbetts, A.B.  
Allan Woodcock, A.B.

AWARDS AND PRIZES

*Charles Carroll Everett Scholarship:*  
Austin Harbutt MacCormick '15  
*Henry W. Longfellow Graduate Scholarship:*  
Robert Peter Coffin '15

*David Sewall Premium:*  
Horatio Tobey Mooers '18

*Class of 1868 Prize:*  
Austin Harbutt MacCormick '15

*Smyth Mathematical Prize:*  
Noel Charlton Little '17

*Sewall Greek Prize:*  
Theodore Burgess Fobes '17

*Sewall Latin Prize:*  
James Churchill Oliver '17

*Goodwin Commencement Prize:*  
Robert Peter Coffin '15

*Pray English Prize:*  
Robert Peter Coffin '15

*Goodwin French Prize:*  
Robert Greenhalgh Albion '18  
George Stuart DeMott '18

*Naves Political Economy Prize:*  
Abraham Seth Shwartz '16

*Brown Composition Prizes:*  
First:

Austin Harbutt MacCormick '15  
Second:

Alvah Booker Stetson '15  
*Class of 1875 Prize in American History:*  
George Worcester Ricker '15

*Bradbury Debating Prizes:*

First Prizes:

Arthur Burton Chapman '17  
Francis Paul McKenney '15  
George Henry Talbot '15

Second Prizes:

Alfred Charles Kinsey '16  
Bela Winslow Norton '18  
William George Tackaberry '15

*Hawthorne Prize:*

Robert Peter Coffin '15

*Alexander Prize Speaking:*

First:

Horatio Tobey Mooers '18  
Second:

Roland Leonard Eaton '17

*Phila Sherman Bennett Prize:*

No award

*Almon Goodwin Prize:*

John Glenwood Winter '16

*Highland Lockwood Fairbanks Prizes for Excellence in Debating:*

First Semester:

William George Tackaberry '15

Second Semester:

Eudore Alphonse Drapeau '16

*Highland Lockwood Fairbanks Prizes for Excellence in Public Speaking:*

First:

John Bower Matthews '18

Second:

Horatio Tobey Mooers '18

*Brown Memorial Scholarships:*

Edward Richardson Elwell '15

Abraham Seth Schwartz '16

Theodore Burgess Fobes '17

Robert Greenhalgh Albion '18

## COMMENCEMENT DINNER

Following the Commencement exercises the Commencement Dinner was held in the New Gymnasium. In opening the speaking President Hyde called attention to the fact that this was the 75th commencement anniversary of Edward Robie. The Snow Trophy, President Hyde announced, given to the class with the highest per cent. attendance, was won by the class of 1890, holding its 25th reunion. The class of 1890 had a percentage of 71.4; the class of 1875, 68.9.

Another announcement of interest made by President Hyde was the fact that the Bowdoin Union is an assured affair. The requests made of the alumni had been for \$5000 with which to change the Sargent Gymnasium into a union, but already \$5,860 has been pledged.

President Hyde spoke of the work that Professor Johnson has contributed to literature with his translation of Dante, and the long service of thirty years on the Faculty of Professor Hutchins.

Mr. W. J. Curtis '75 in speaking paid beautiful tributes to the late General Hubbard and to President Hyde.

Other speakers were former Governor H. B. Quinby '69, H. W. Swasey '65, G. B. Chandler '90, Professor S. P. Chase '05 of Union College, G. C. Wheeler '01 of the Alumni Council, Dr. A. S. Thayer '86, Dean of the Medical School, and L. Howe '70 of the New York Alumni Association.

In speaking for his class Mr. Chandler said that owing to the close competition for the Snow Trophy his class thought that the class of 1875 had really won it and that the class of 1890 therefore relinquished all claim upon the cup.

A change was made this year from the usual

custom of having many class speakers to having men speak from the classes holding 50th, 25th and 10th anniversaries.

## GOD'S NOBLEMAN

The following sonnet, written by Professor Johnson in memory of the late General Hubbard, was read by President Hyde at the Commencement Dinner:

"Through reason hold it as a futile thing  
To strive to compass in a moment's phrase  
The life of stainless honor we would praise,  
The homage due the virtues of a king;  
The simple garland from one woodland way,  
To crown the pure brow of his earthly days,  
And say farewell, an instant lingering.  
We saw him stand, the smile, the downcast eyes,  
That could not check the plaudits he had earned  
And love and duty would not leave unpaid;  
We heard his modest lips adjudge the prize  
Of worth to others, but our thoughts returned  
To him, the nobleman that God had made."

## FRIAR'S CUP CONTEST

JUNE, 1915

	No. of	Total	
	Men.	Grades.	Average.
Bowdoin Club .....	37	523	14.135
Theta Delta Chi.....	28	389	13.893
Beta Chi.....	17	231	13.588
Kappa Sigma.....	36	487.5	13.542
Beta Theta Pi.....	37.5	497	13.253
Delta Upsilon.....	39	513.5	13.167
Zeta Psi.....	34	429.5	12.632
Alpha Delta Phi.....	30	373.5	12.450
Delta Kappa Epsilon....	37	445.5	12.041
Non-Fraternity .....	32	364	11.375
Psi Upsilon .....	27	292	10.815

## BY CLASSES

	No. of	Total	
	Men.	Grades.	Average.
1915			
Non-Fraternity .....	4	68	17.000
Theta Delta Chi.....	6	96	16.000
Beta Upsilon.....	7	110	15.714
Beta Theta Pi.....	12.5	193	15.440
Zeta Psi.....	8	114	14.250
Bowdoin Club.....	6	80	13.333
Psi Upsilon.....	3	40	13.333
Alpha Delta Phi.....	7	92	13.143
Kappa Sigma.....	9	116	12.889
Delta Kappa Epsilon....	7	88	12.571
1916			
Beta Chi.....	4	72	18.000
Theta Delta Chi.....	5	76	15.200
Beta Theta Pi.....	7	106	15.143
Delta Kappa Epsilon....	11	161	14.636



Delta Upsilon.....	10	142	14.200
Bowdoin Club.....	7	98	14.000
Alpha Delta Phi.....	8	109	13.625
Kappa Sigma.....	8	103	12.875
Non-Fraternity.....	3	38	12.667
Zeta Psi.....	9	102.5	11.389
Psi Upsilon.....	9	96	10.667
1917			
Theta Delta Chi.....	5	82.5	16.500
Bowdoin Club.....	9	142	15.778
Non-Fraternity.....	5	75	15.000
Kappa Sigma.....	9	131.5	14.611
Beta Chi.....	4	54.5	13.625
Zeta Psi.....	8	106	13.250
Alpha Delta Phi.....	7	89.5	12.786
Psi Upsilon.....	4	50	12.500
Delta Kappa Epsilon....	13	160	12.308
Delta Upsilon.....	11	123	11.182
Beta Theta Pi.....	9	100	11.111
1918			
Kappa Sigma.....	10	137	13.700
Bowdoin Club.....	15	203	13.533
Delta Upsilon.....	11	138.5	12.591
Zeta Psi.....	9	107	11.889
Beta Chi.....	9	104.5	11.611
Theta Delta Chi.....	12	134.5	11.208
Beta Theta Pi.....	9	98	10.889
Alpha Delta Phi.....	8	83	10.375
Psi Upsilon.....	11	106	9.636
Non-Fraternity.....	20	183	9.150
Delta Kappa Epsilon....	6	36.5	6.083

## STRAIGHT "A" MEN

Robert Peter Coffin '15  
 John Wesley Threlfall '15  
 Herbert Henry Foster '16  
 Boyd Wheeler Bartlett '17  
 Theodore Burgess Fobes '17  
 James Churchill Oliver '17

## BOARD MAKES APPROPRIATIONS

At the meeting of the Board of Managers held June 16, the reports of managers for the past year were made and appropriations for the various activities during the coming year were voted. The reports of the managers showed deficits aggregating \$775.11. The prospects for next year with regard to the Blanket Tax were discussed, and it was voted to make appropriations on estimated receipts of \$4,857.50, which is more than was collected this year. The Board made this estimate in the belief that the student body can be stirred up to a better support of the Blanket Tax. Appropriations were then voted as follows: Football, \$1400; Baseball, \$1100; Track, \$1100; Tennis, \$175; Fencing, \$175; Bowdoin Publishing Co., \$300; Y.M.C.A., \$187.50; Debating, \$185;

Band, \$185; Student Council, \$50; total, \$4857.50. The Board wishes to state that in every case the appropriations were as conservative as possible and that those activities which receive an increase over last year do so because of extra expenses in the coming year. Herbert H. Foster '16 was elected assistant treasurer and Hugh M. Hescocock '16, secretary for the ensuing year.

## NEW INSTRUCTORS

P. W. Meserve '11, Chemistry; R. D. Evans, Physics; W. E. Milne, Mathematics; T. C. Van Cleve, History. For 1916-17, A. H. MacCormick '15, English.

## FOUR NEW OVERSEERS

M. S. Holway, '82, Augusta; W. M. Emery, '87, Fall River, Mass.; J. E. Chapman, '77, Brunswick; P. G. Clifford, '03, Portland. Hon. Clarence Hale, '69 was elected president, and D. S. Alexander, '70 vice-president.

W. J. Curtis, '75, an Overseer, was elected to the Board of Trustees.

## On the Campus

Philip Dana Stubbs '95 was marshal of the Commencement parade.

The engagement of Miss Margaret Swett of Brunswick to Robert E. Bodurtha '15 was announced during Commencement week.

Last week Leland Stanford McElwee '16 was elected captain of the 1916 baseball team. McElwee has played on the Varsity for three years.

At a recent meeting of the Ibis, Dunn, Fuller, Irving, Sayward and White were initiated from 1916. The retiring members of the Ibis are Elwell, Hall, MacCormick, McKenney and McWilliams.

Among alumni from distant lands whose names are on the register this week are C. R. Bennett '07 of Hong Kong, John B. Hanrahan '10 and Daniel John Ready '10 of the Philippines and Arthur C. Shorey '04 of Manila.

The class of 1910, holding its fifth reunion, appeared in sailor uniforms of white with the numerals "B-10" on their caps. Wednesday morning they appeared *on the campus* aboard the good submarine "B-10" and led by the Cabot Fife and Drum Corps performed various naval evolutions, attacking Whittier Field where the Alumni-Varsity ball game was holding forth. Sumner Edwards captained the strange craft and John L. Crosby was chief officer.

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**GEORGE T. LITTLE**

PRESIDENT HYDE'S ADDRESS

Four great qualities happily united won for George Little our admiration and affection. Descended from a family of successful business men, he was conscientious. Whatever he undertook was done, and whatever was done by him was done thoroughly and well. One of the great delights of college work is the absolute freedom of method and time which it involves, the only enforced responsibility being for results. Yet so conscientious was Dr. Little that he kept strict account, not merely of the months and weeks, but of the hours he gave to his library work; thus enforcing upon himself a minute and detailed responsibility no one would ever have dreamed of requiring of him. His catalogues and bulletins

are monuments of the painstaking thoroughness with which he filled the arduous office of Secretary of the Alumni. The church will never cease to owe a debt of gratitude for his years of devoted service as its clerk.

He both inherited and developed generosity; not only the generosity that gives the comparatively indifferent surplus, but the generosity that gives at cost and sacrifice of things highly valued and desired for himself and those dear to him: not merely generosity in money, but in time, thought, strength and sympathy. My last intimate association with him was in a philanthropic work in which I sought his cooperation and counsel. Although, as I know now, he was at the time suffering from a fatal illness, he entered eagerly into the project, giving days and nights to inquiries, plans and negotiations with the result that at very slight financial cost to the benefactors he rendered not only a very substantial material service to the beneficiaries, but added to their enterprise, resourcefulness and self-respect. He gave his business sagacity, his sympathy, his friendliness, together with his gift, thus adding ten fold to its value.

He was individual and cared for individuals and details. Like Professor Packard before him, he not merely by name and face, but by class and achievement, knew the graduates of the college. He followed each one's career with an almost parental fondness and appreciation: thus being in himself a personal embodiment of their Alma Mater's affection for her sons. Each item of usefulness and honor was carefully culled and filed; and his last work was the almost complete catalogue of those who have been students of the college without remaining to graduate—a most laborious and discouraging task; yet which his enthusiasm and industry has brought within reach of a successful issue.

I first met Dr. Little in 1882, three years before coming to Bowdoin. I was preaching one Sunday in the High Street Church at Auburn; and remember well with what appreciation the people of that church spoke of the willingness of this young Bowdoin instructor to come back to his home church and teach his class in Sunday School every Sabbath. The same devotion that

later bound him to the college and college church was manifested in loyalty to the community and church of his childhood.

Such devotion to individuals and details of course runs the risk of sometimes missing the sense of proportion, and sacrificing the greater to the less. From serious error of this sort he was saved by the greatest of all devotions—the last quality of which I shall speak. He was reverent. He loved things bigger than himself: and these he found on the material side in the mountains: on the spiritual side in God. He was a skilful and daring mountaineer; with mountains as far apart and different as Mt. Lefroy in British Columbia and Mt. Sinai to his credit. On their "cold, bald summits, turbaned with clouds," he found peace, freedom, victory.

The same reverent spirit made him love to climb the spiritual heights, and to be alone with God. Strength for toil, patience for trial, inspiration for service, he sought and gained on the spiritual peaks of prayer and meditation: and the study of God's Word.

These are not all his qualities: there were other sides to his nature, other lines of his affection and interest, I forbear to explore: his love of family and ancestry; his fondness for good books and travel; his interest in temperance and kindred reforms.

But these four taken together, conscientiousness and generosity, individuality and piety, form a character we shall all cherish in grateful remembrance. Others will fill his place and do his work; for no man's work is essential. But the man he was and is shall endure longer than the great library he planned and the old college he loved: eternal as the God he reverently worshipped; and the Christ he lovingly served.

#### A PERSONAL TRIBUTE

By REV. C. W. GOODRICH, D.D.

After speaking of the repugnance which Dr. Little would himself have felt toward any extended eulogy and of the impossibility at such a moment of saying anything adequate regarding his official activities in connection with the College or the more intimate life of the home, Dr. Goodrich emphasized briefly a few outstanding characteristics which all who at all knew Dr. Little must remember with gratitude and inspiration.

There was first his saintliness. Dr. Little was an example of modern sainthood. The elder saints of the desert cell or the city cloister, apart from the stronger currents of life, achieved something far easier and less significant than the modern saint. In the midst of our intricate and distracting life, in the midst of straining responsi-

bilities and cares, in the midst of allurements to esteem unduly the things that are seen, but transitory,—in the midst of all these, yet to keep touch with God, to manifest the inner strength of a heaven-fed spirit, to breathe the atmosphere of eternity, that is modern sainthood and that was Dr. Little's distinction. He walked with God. Like his Master he was at home in two worlds. And how naturally we think of him at this hour in the Eternal Presence. For his sake we shall take on our lips with new meaning that great hymn,—

For all Thy saints who from their labors rest,  
Who Thee by faith before the world confessed,  
Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blessed;

Alleluia.

We remember also his courage. His was a knightly loyalty to any cause to which he was committed. Compliant always to an unusual degree in anything which concerned his own comfort or his own advantage, he stood with granitic firmness wherever he felt that a principle was involved.

And lately we have been especially impressed by the superb courage of his fight against growing bodily weakness. With unconquerable spirit, he met every duty, when in the judgment of all his friends he was too ill for any task. To him belongs the reward of the overcoming spirit,—  
"Him that overcometh will I make a pillar in the temple of my God and he shall go no more out."

As we think of him in the Eternal Presence with such naturalness because of his sainthood here, so we think of him also (in the language of symbol), a pillar in the eternal temple, because he was that in the Church of Christ on earth. Every pastor with whom he was associated and every member of the church, so situated as to appreciate clearly the central elements of its life, would join with me in witnessing to his sustaining and supporting influence at every point. Everywhere we leaned on him and he never failed. He was eminent among those rare souls who in Christian service are like the jewels in the watch, seeking no display; but bearing unobscured the heaviest thrust of the faithful movement of the piece.

We cannot fail to recall also the attractiveness of his spirit. For each in the community there is usually a group who especially understand him and especially love him; but here was one whom all understood and all loved. As in making my first acquaintance with the parish, I came to know those of different circumstances, different interests, different temperaments, I was impressed by the attitude toward Dr. Little of those of all types and all conditions. How often it was said to me,



—"Everyone loves Dr. Little!" Such regard he never sought. We cannot imagine him as guided by the prudential thought,—“A man to have friends must show himself friendly.” He loved men with a great spontaneousness and therefore he drew them to him with a magnet-like attraction. “Love is of God and he that loveth is born of God.” “And now abideth faith, hope, love, these three; but the greatest of these is love.”

At the summer home from which I have just come, one looks across one of the lovelier of the New England lakes, through a gateway of hills, to Chocorua Mountain. Often these past weeks, in looking toward that characteristic summit, I have thought of Dr. Little, partly because he was a lover of all mountains, but especially because, less than two months ago, he made the ascent of this peak and told me afterward of his peculiar enjoyment of the climb and of the view. Born alpinist that he was, he ever loved the heights, with their purer air, their wider outlook, their approach to the arching blue. And this taste of Dr. Little's for the uplands was but an outward symbol of his soul's love for the lofty things of the spirit. He loved the fine, the high, the aspiring. As treading the highlands of earth, one seems somehow nearer the heavens, so abiding in the high places of the spirit, it was for him but a step into the eternal world. And thus, only a day or two ago, while as ever on the uplands, “he was not, for God took him.”

#### TRIBUTE FROM HIS CLASS

In the death of George Thomas Little, Bowdoin College loses one of the most devoted and faithful in her long list of loyal sons.

Returning to the college five years after his graduation as instructor in Latin he was, one year later, made Professor of Latin and acting librarian. Resigning this professorship the next year, he was given full charge of the library with some added duties in the department of rhetoric, and since 1889 he had given all his time to the library.

Thus for thirty years the Bowdoin library had been the labor and the joy of his life. He had seen it grow, under his careful and liberal guidance, from a library of 34,000 volumes to one of 110,000, and he had seen its usefulness to the student and to the scholar increase ten fold. Library methods had been not merely developed but revolutionized, until today the library stands as the basis of the entire work of the college, its rich resources made intimately available in every department of study or research. And midway in his administration, through the munificence of

one of Bowdoin's most devoted alumni, he had seen his beloved library enshrined in a sumptuous, fireproof building, responding in every detail to the demands of modern library management.

In this necessarily brief announcement there can be no attempt at an adequate review of the great work accomplished by Dr. Little, and the solidity of its results. That will be done later, and by official spokesmen for the College. But the great library, in its beautiful building, stands as the visible embodiment of the tireless, devoted, unselfish labor of a lifetime in the service of his alma mater.

To the class of '77 his loss is irreparable. In season and out, he was unceasing in his endeavors to be of use to the boys of '77—to the individual members and to the class as a unit. No records could have been more accurate, or kept with more loving care, than his records of '77. Three years ago his house was placed absolutely at the disposition of the class throughout commencement week, and we were entertained with a complete and generous hospitality that none can forget. From the day of our graduation and for more than thirty-eight years, he was the President of the class of '77—first by election, then by re-election, and finally by unanimous recognition of the eternal fitness of things. We have never had any other President. But while he was the most efficient and faithful of class presidents, such were his modesty and self-effacement that we never thought of George as president of anything except our hearts and our affections.

We men of '77 will hold him in loving remembrance so long as one of us shall survive.

CLASS OF '77.

#### FOOTBALL RALLY

The first football rally of the year, held last Friday night in Memorial Hall, was attended by a large number of enthusiastic students. Trainer Magee, Captain Leadbetter, Coach Campbell and Manager Garland '16 spoke. Dunn '16 presided and the newly organized band furnished the music. After the program several cheers and songs were rehearsed under the leadership of Marston '17.

#### ORIENT COMPETITION

Freshmen who wish to try out for the ORIENT Board should hand their names to Philbrick at the Deke house at once. Three or four members of the Board will be chosen from the Freshman class in March and one from the Sophomore class in October. In the election of members the points considered are the amount of space accepted, accuracy, promptness and neatness.

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## Dr. Little

As a mark of respect for the late Dr. George T. Little, this issue of the ORIENT is dedicated to his memory. Dr. Little's position in the college was a most important one, and he filled it with that conscientious regard for duty characteristic of master minds. He was acquainted with every living graduate of the college and was the personal friend of many. His personal qualities were the highest. Truly, his loss is irreparable.

## The New Dormitory

The opening of college emphasizes again the need for a new dormitory. Many Freshmen, wishing to room on the campus, are unable to do

so, and are compelled to room in private houses, oftentimes at some distance from the college. We hope that the new dormitory will not be *too* long in the coming.

## Proclamation Night

The approach of Proclamation Night recalls last year's Proclamation Night, when interference by upperclassmen caused considerable damage to South Appleton. Such destruction of property is entirely unwarranted, and is only a means of additional expense to men in no way responsible for the damage. Proclamation Night is essentially for the Sophomores. If the program of the night is left to them, damage to personal or college property, if any, will be the minimum, and the blame can be readily placed.

And there is another good reason why the Sophomores should not be opposed in their disciplinary work. Proclamation Night is a harmless survival of the older and more boisterous hazing days. A repetition of last year's loss of property would doubtless result in further supervision and revision by the faculty and Student Council. If the Sophomores are able to carry out Proclamation Night without undue infringement on the personal liberties of man,—and we believe they are,—by all means let them do it.

## NEW INSTRUCTORS

William Edward Milne, A.M., a graduate of Walla Walla College and a graduate student and instructor at Harvard, is to be instructor in mathematics.

Rhys Dariydd Evans, a graduate of Ohio University in 1909, is to be instructor in physics. Since graduation Mr. Evans has been a graduate student and instructor in physics at Harvard. He is a member of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity and the American Physical Society.

Thomas Curtis Van Cleve, a graduate of the University of Washington in 1911, becomes instructor in history. Mr. Van Cleve has been doing graduate work, as well as being an assistant instructor, at the University of Wisconsin for the past three years. He will assist Professor Bell in the course in English history. He is a member of the American History Association.

Philip Weston Meserve, A.M., Bowdoin '11, is the new instructor in chemistry. He has been doing graduate work at Harvard and Johns Hopkins, teaching one year at Simmons College. He is a member of the Psi Upsilon fraternity, the Gamma Alpha scientific fraternity and the American Chemical Society.

A course in Spanish is announced this year, to

be open to a class numbering between ten and twenty students. It is elective for Seniors, Juniors and Sophomores.

### THE NEW MEN

#### CLASS OF 1919

Silas Frank Albert, Sanford; William Angus, Manchester, N. H.; Raymond Loring Atwood, Paris; Maurice Westcott Avery, Bath; Lawrence Gould Barton, Portland; Orson Leland Berry, Topsham; Andrew Joseph Boratis, Westfield, Mass.; Herbert Andrew Brawn, West Bath; Lewis Albert Burleigh, Jr., Augusta; Clifford Allen Butterfield, Kingman; Harry Lovell Caldwell, Lake View; Frederick Canavella, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Fred Babson Chadbourne, East Waterford; John Wesley Coburn, Lewiston; Grant Butler Cole, Springfield, Mass.; Edward Corcoran, Norwich, Conn.; Russell Davey, Holyoke, Mass.; Clyde Emmons Decker, Clinton; James Cottrell Doherty, Springfield, Mass.; Louis Whittier Doherty, Springfield, Mass.; Rand Augustus Dunham, Rumford; Bateman Edwards, Bangor; Robert P. Ewer, Bangor; Rolland Craig Farnham, Needham, Mass.; Lincoln Benner Farrar, Bath; Lawrence Hartley Fernald, Metcalf, Mass.; Edward Burney Finn, Lynn, Mass.; Roy E. Foulke, White Plains, N. Y.; John Raymond Gardner, Livermore Falls; Lee Sumner Gorham, Wiscasset; Percy Edwin Graves, Brunswick; Ellsworth Manly Gray, East Machias; Myron Robert Grover, North Berwick; Jacob Barker Ham, Lewiston; Gordon Sweat Hargraves, West Buxton; Robert Hammond Haynes, Ellsworth Falls; Harold Dunn Hersum, Waterville; Donald Shackley Higgins, Brewer; William Edward Hill, Meriden, Conn.; Frank Arthur Hilton, Jr., Portland; Albert Davis Holbrook, Rockland; Ellsworth Wright Holbrook, Wiscasset; William Ellis Hutchinson, Springfield, Mass.; James Fuller Ingraham, Augusta; Ralph Irving, West Roxbury, Mass.; Frederick Orlando Johnson, Hancock; John Henry Kern, Portland; Everett Freeman Larrabee, Bridgton; Stanley Lee Leavitt, West Bath; Paul Rittenhouse Leech, Germantown, Penn.; Leon Leighton, Jr., Wilton; Reginald Thomas Lombard, South Portland; Carl Jackson Longren, Jefferson; Daniel Francis Mahoney, Portland; William Frye Martin, Lexington, Mass.; Louis Blalock McCarthy, West Roxbury, Mass.; John Albert Edgar McClave, Grantwood, N. J.; Laurence McCulloch, Ashmont, Mass.; Donald McDonald, Portland; Milton Morse McGorill, Woodfords; Stephen McPherson, Brunswick; Warren Carleton Merrill, Skowhegan; George Evans Minot, Belgrade; Hugh Addison Mitchell, Brunswick; Ray Everett

Moon, Mt. Desert Ferry; Frank Buchanan Morrison, Lisbon; John Mackey Morrison, Boise, Idaho; Harlow Baynum Mosher, Dexter; Henry Chester Nelson, Rumford; Howe Samuel Newell, Pittsburg, Penn.; Durrell Leighton Noyes, Winter Harbor; Howard Patrick, South Framingham, Mass.; Ether Shepley Paul, 2nd., Auburn; Leslie Whidden Pearson, Portland; Lloyd Robert Pendleton, Dark Harbor; Stephen Erwin Perkins, Bartlett, N. H.; Howard Thayer Pierce, Portland; Wilfred Phillipe Racine, Brunswick; Orett Forest Robinson, Warren; Andrew Mace Rollins, Jr., Round Lake, N. Y.; George Alden Safford, Jr., Bangor; Harold Boardman Sawyer, Farmington; Duncan Scarborough, Dedham, Mass.; Harry Martin Schwartz, Portland; Eric Melville Simmons, Union; Reginald Thornton Small, Westbrook; Cheever Stanton Smith, Westbrook; Louis Oscar Smith, Patten; Roger William Smith, Ogunquit; Charles Myron Sprague, Bath; Harold Merle Springer, Skowhegan; Merrill Frederick Sproul, Brewer; Clyde Elleron Stevens, Rockland; Ralph Archie Stevens, Jr., Hyde Park, Mass.; Raymond Wheeler Stowell, Freeport; Parker Brooks Sturgis, Auburn; Almon Bird Sullivan, Rockland; Allan Whitney Sylvester, Harrison; Donald Harmon Tebbetts, Auburn; Charles Edward Thomas, Portsmouth, N. H.; Lewis William Tilley, East Millinocket; Rufus Harris Tillson, Dexter; Owen Joseph Toussaint, East Millinocket; Perley Smith Turner, Augusta; Russell Sage Turner, Billerica, Mass.; Rufus C. Tuttle, Freeport; James Elmon Vance, Center Lovell; Francis Codd Warren, Rumford; Eben Morrison Whitcomb, Ellsworth Falls; Ruel Whitney Whitcomb, Ellsworth Falls; David Walter White, Topsham; John Carroll White, Jonesport; Lawton Walter Witt, Winchendon, Mass.

#### SPECIAL STUDENTS

James Eben Boothby, Dubuque, Iowa; Charles Bernard MacIninch, Woodland; Arno C. Savage, Bangor; Francis Yvonnet van Schoonhoven, Jr., Troy, N. Y.; Gaston McF. Stephens, New Bedford, Mass.

#### ADMITTED TO UPPER CLASSES

##### Class of 1916

Laurence Cartland, Saco.

##### Class of 1917

Charles Edward Allen, Freeport; Roland Hacker Cobb, Denmark; Philip Hacker Cobb, Denmark; Wilfred Dixon Harrison, Freeport; George Edwin Leatherbarrow, Limerick.

##### Class of 1918

Lee Manhein Friedman, Houlton; Allen Joseph Ginty, Boston; Frank Ashmore Haseltine, Pitts-



field; Frank Durham Hazeltine, Belfast; Walter Huron Lane, South Portland; William Needleman, Portland; Milan James Smith, Woolwich.

### BLANKET TAX

270 men paid the blanket tax assessment and 80 applied for extensions during the three days campaign for collection last week. Men entering college late are requested to see Foster '16 and make necessary adjustments.

### BOWDOIN TRIMS NEW HAMPSHIRE

Bowdoin opened its 1915 football season Saturday on Whittier Field with a 19 to 0 victory over New Hampshire State College. All three touchdowns were made possible by old-fashioned line-plunging, coupled with several end runs by Nevens. Nevens and Foster, playing the half-back positions, were able to gain almost at will through New Hampshire's line, aided in the first half by good line interference. In the second half practically the whole team was changed and a more open game resulted.

On the defense Bradford, substituting at end in the second half, starred unusually in three successive plays, breaking through and tackling the New Hampshire backs for five and twelve yard losses, and then blocking Brackett's kick, allowing Moulton to recover it on the 20 yard line. On the next play Foster found a hole near the side lines and rushed over the goal line for the third touchdown.

Shumway played a steady, snappy game at quarter and in the second quarter made a spectacular run-back of Broderick's kick-off, to New Hampshire's 40 yard line.

The work of the line, at times mediocre, shows, however, the effects of good coaching. Brewster at right guard played by far the best game on the line.

The kicking was poor. Leadbetter in two attempts secured one goal from touchdown, Dyar's one try failing. Nevens punted five times for an average of 33 yards. Broderick and Brackett, for New Hampshire, averaged only 20 yards in six attempts. In the second period, New Hampshire held for downs on their one yard line but Broderick's kick went outside at the ten yard line and Nevens, in three rushes, carried the ball over for the second touchdown.

Bowdoin tried the forward pass three times, once gaining eight yards, and once losing the ball. New Hampshire State, in ten attempts, twice made 25 yards but twice lost possession of the ball on the play.

Bowdoin lost, by penalties, 40 yards against New Hampshire's single loss of 5 yards. New Hampshire, considerably outweighed, made first down only three times by rushing and at no time threatened Bowdoin's goal. The game ended with New Hampshire in possession of the ball on her 29 yard line.

**BOWDOIN NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE**  
 Wood, Bradford, le.....re, Brown, Reagan  
 Moulton, McNaughton, lt.....rt, Jenkins  
 Young, Morrison, lg.....rg, Ford, Hughes  
 Stone, Chase, c.....c, Swett  
 Brewster, Stewart, rg.....lg, Bell, Ford  
 Leadbetter, Edwards, Oliver, rt.....lt, Morrill  
 Drummond, Beal, re.....le, Westover (Capt.)  
 Shumway, Phillips, qb.....qb, Brackett  
 Foster, Dyar, lb.....rhb, Woodward  
 Nevens, rhb.....lhb, Watson, Noel  
 Pettingill, fb.....fb, Broderick

Score: Bowdoin 19, New Hampshire State College 0. Touchdowns: Foster, 2; Nevens. Goal from touchdown: Leadbetter. Referee: Lieut. Meyer, U.S.N. Umpire: E. L. Bragg, Wesleyan. Head Linesman: F. W. Twitchell of Portland. Field Judge: J. L. Hooper of Auburn. Time of periods: 10 minutes.

### FRESHMAN RECEPTION

The annual reception given by the Christian Association to the entering class was held in Hubbard Hall Thursday evening and proved to be a very pleasant occasion. Upper classmen were present in good numbers and genuine Bowdoin spirit was instilled into the whole gathering. After the distribution of "Freshman Bibles," the following program was carried out:

The Chairman .....Foster '16  
 The College .....President Hyde  
 The Associated Students .....Dunn '16  
 Football .....Coach Campbell  
 The Church .....Rev. Chauncey W. Goodrich  
 The Student .....Dean Sills

After the singing of "Bowdoin Beata," refreshments of ice cream, wafers and punch were served. Sayward '16 and Leadbetter '16 composed the committee in charge.

### EVERYBODY OUT

This week fall track practice begins in earnest and Capt. Leadbetter and Coach Magee desire every man, whether having any experience in track or not, to report daily at Whittier Field. To the Freshmen Coach Magee extends his hearty desire that every man possible report to him. As an especial incentive to the Freshmen to appear for practice, arrangements are in order



for a cross-country race between the Bowdoin Freshmen and the Hebron Academy varsity cross-country team. In addition to this the varsity cross-country schedule this year offers encouragement for all to work for a place on the varsity team.

### BOSTON ALUMNI

The Bowdoin Club of Boston opens its 21st season on Friday evening, October 1, at the University Club. As in previous years, these meetings will be held on the first Friday of each month. All Bowdoin men are welcomed at these reunions and the younger graduates are especially urged to attend, members of the 1913, 1914 and 1915 classes being exempt from dues.

### With the Faculty

The ORIENT on behalf of the student body wishes to extend its sincere sympathy to Professor and Mrs. Elliott for the loss of their son.

Professor Hormell addressed a recent meeting of the Brunswick Chamber of Commerce on the "Town Manager Plan." Professors Moody and Davis also spoke at the meeting.

Professor Copeland has been spending the summer vacation at Woods Hole and Taunton, Mass.

### On the Campus

Wheet '18 will toll the chapel bell this year.

Fuller '16 is announcer to the press at the football games this fall.

Finn '19 and Turner '19 are freshman chapel monitors.

The winter schedule on the Maine Central went into effect Sunday.

Every dormitory room is taken, and many are rooming off the campus this year.

The second football team will play Hebron at Hebron Saturday, October 16.

The fall tennis tournament will start shortly, and those wishing to compete should hand their names at once to Stone '17 at the Theta Delta house or Norton '18 at the Zeta house.

The new Federal road to Portland was opened Saturday, and as a result several automobile parties came down to the New Hampshire game over the new speedway. There were over a dozen cars parked at Whittier Field, and the later games will bring down even more.

Kern '12, D. K. Merrill '15 and Austin '15 were among those on the campus for the game Saturday. Merrill is principal of Lisbon High School

and Austin of Buxton High this year.

McCormick '15 spent a few days on the campus last week before going to Columbia where he will study English this year. During the summer he spent two weeks as a convict in the State Prison at Thomaston, studying prison conditions. He will return to Bowdoin in 1916 as instructor in English.

Burr '16 broke his arm recently, and will be a few weeks late in starting in this fall, although he was on the campus for a few days last week.

A large number of last year's senior class have been on the campus the past week, also J. L. Doherty '89, H. Nelson '91, Elder '06 and Devine '11.

The stewards at the various fraternity houses are: Keene '17, Psi Upsilon; Colbath '17, Delta Kappa Epsilon; Phillips '17, Theta Delta Chi; Stratton '16, Delta Upsilon; Niven '16, Zeta Psi; Thayer '17, Kappa Sigma; Sampson '17, Beta Theta Pi; Sanderson '18, Bowdoin Club.

It is reported that some of the Freshman class have not purchased their hymn books yet.

Bowdoin was represented at the fraternity conventions at San Francisco this summer by eleven undergraduates and a number of alumni. The undergraduates were: Beal '16, Foster '16, Garland '16, Little '16, Sayward '16, Campbell '17, Foster '17, Philbrick '17, Pike '17, Shumway '17 and True '17. Among the alumni who attended the expositions and conventions were: C. M. Hay '81, N. E. Boyd '60, J. C. Minot '96, L. A. Cousens '03 and Donald Redfern '11.

Hawes '16 and Achorn '17 attended the United States Camp for Military Instruction for college men at Plattsburg in July.

Ginty '16 and Yenetchi '16 have returned to Bowdoin after a sojourn at Tufts. James Boothby '17 is also back after spending his sophomore year at the University of Wisconsin. Ramsdell '16 and Cormack '17 have also returned and Jones ex-'17 is registered in 1918.

The candidates for assistant football manager are Allen, French, A. S. Gray, Ripley, Sanderson, Stearns and Whalen.

Crehore '17 will not return to college this fall. Philbrick '17 is acting as managing editor of the ORIENT.

At the Sophomore class election last Thursday Savage was elected president, Hanson vice-president and Roper secretary-treasurer.

The 1919 Freshman caps are of a new model, affording a little more protection than the old style.

## Alumni Department

'77.—Dr. George Thomas Little, librarian of Bowdoin College for 32 years, died August 6 of a complication of diseases, aged 58 years, 2 months and 24 days. He had been in poor health for some months, and had been granted a six months leave of absence, but had not given up his duties, and on the Saturday before his death was at the Library. From that day his illness developed very rapidly until he passed away. His death is a great loss to the College, to the town, to the First Parish Church and it brings sorrow to the hearts of hundreds who knew him in various relations.

Professor Little was born in Auburn May 14, 1857, son of Hon. Edward T. and Lucy Jane (Bliss) Little. He was a grandson of Edward Little, one of the early residents of Auburn and a descendant of George Little, who came from England to Newbury, Mass., in 1640.

He prepared for college at the Auburn High School and entered Bowdoin in the class of 1877. While in college, he was editor of the *ORIENT* and won both the Sewall Greek prize and the Latin prize. He was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon and Phi Beta Kappa, graduating first in his class in scholarship.

After a year abroad he went to Thayer Academy in Braintree, Mass., as an instructor in Latin, but in 1882 returned to Bowdoin, where in 1880 he had been given the master's degree, as a Latin instructor.

The next year he was made professor of Latin and acting librarian, and in 1885 he was given full charge of the library, resigning his professorship, but becoming assistant in rhetoric. Since 1889 he had devoted all his time to the library, and from 1887 to 1892 he was also curator of the art collections that were then housed in the library building. Since 1889 he had been editor of the general catalogues.

He was appointed to the State Library Commission in 1899 and served as its chairman until his resignation three years later. He was one of the organizers of the Maine State Library Association and had for years been on the executive committee. For more than 12 years he had served in the National Council of the American Library Association, and previously was its recorder.

He contributed to periodicals many articles relating to his professional work, one of the most important being "School and College Libraries," a paper prepared for the World's Library Congress in 1893, and printed in the report of the United States commissioner of education in that year. He has also published one or two text-

books for the use of his classes, a very valuable historical sketch of Bowdoin College, and was the author of the volume comprising more than 600 pages, entitled "Descendants of George Little, who came to Newbury, Mass., in 1640."

He was an active worker in the First Parish Congregational Church and prominent in the Pejepscot Historical Society of Brunswick. In 1894 he was given the degree of Litt. D. by Bowdoin College.

Professor Little's avocation was mountain climbing. He was a member of the American Alpine Club and the Appalachian Mountain Club and distinguished in the sport. He was of the party that in the late 90's made the first ascent of Rogers Peak in the Selkirks and of high mountains in the Canadian Rockies.

In 1896 he was a member of the party that went to British Columbia and ascended Mt. Lefroy, when Philip S. Abbott of Harvard College lost his life.

Professor Little married, Dec. 18, 1884, Miss Lily T. W. Lane of Braintree, Mass. He is survived by his wife and four children, Mrs. Ray W. Pettingill of Cambridge, Mass., Miss Ruth Little of Brunswick, G. Tappan Little of Boston and Noel C. Little, a student at Bowdoin.

The funeral was held on Monday forenoon from his home on College Street, the services being conducted by Rev. Chauncey W. Goodrich, pastor of the First Parish Church. Miss Frances Rideout sang "Crossing the Bar." Mr. Goodrich spoke of Dr. Little as an example of modern sainthood, and gave a very earnest and impressive tribute to his memory. The bearers were Professor Henry Johnson, Professor F. E. Woodruff, Professor W. B. Mitchell, Hon. Barrett Potter, Thomas H. Riley and Walter D. Hatch. Burial was at Oak Hill Cemetery in Auburn.

'01.—Dr. Henry A. Martelle, who has practiced medicine for the past eight years in Hartford, Conn., has recently been appointed second assistant medical director of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company. After graduating from Bowdoin, Dr. Martelle took a four years' course at Johns Hopkins.

'06.—Henry P. Boody, for the past seven years at the head of the English department of the Maine Wesleyan Seminary at Kent's Hill, has been elected to a full professorship, that of English Composition and Forensics, at Ripon College in Wisconsin. Last summer Mr. Boody traveled in the British Isles, France, Germany, Holland, Switzerland and Italy.

'61.—Four members of the class of 1861 held a reunion at the summer home of Edward Stanwood of Brookline, Mass., on Squirrel Island in the early part of August. Besides Mr. Stanwood,

managing editor of the *Youth's Companion*, Dr. Dingley, editor of the *Lewiston Journal*, Judge Kenniston of Boothbay Harbor and Judge Emery of Ellsworth were present. Of the fifty-two members of the class, thirteen are now living, scattered all over the world. It was decided to hold a reunion of the class every year at New Meadows Inn on Wednesday of Commencement Week. Dr. Dingley and Mr. Stanwood are the two oldest editors in continuous service in the country.

Following is a list of the marriages that have occurred among the alumni during the summer:

'99.—Frederic A. Fogg, Eliot, and Miss Edna Paul, Eliot, June 22, at Eliot.

'04.—Dr. Harold J. Everett, Portland, and Miss Alice E. Foster of Portland, June 19, at Portland.

'05.—Dr. James A. Williams, Topsham, and Miss Alice Blake, Richmond, June 30, at Richmond.

'06.—Judge Currier C. Holman, Farmington, Me., and Miss Rosa C. Skillings, Auburn, August 4, at Auburn.

'10.—John D. Clifford, Auburn, and Miss Lucille E. Smith, Albion, Mich., July 14, at Albion, Mich.

'10.—Frank E. Kendrie, Valparaiso, Ind., and Miss Helen P. Walcott, Belmont, Mass., June 29, at Belmont, Mass.

'11.—Arthur C. Gibson, San Francisco, and Miss Ethel M. Parmenter, Oakland, Cal., June 9, at Oakland, Cal.

'11.—Stetson H. Hussey, Mars Hill, and Miss Gladys W. Goodhue, Fort Fairfield, July 27, at Fort Fairfield.

'12.—Jesse H. McKenney, Boston, and Miss Iva E. Record, Auburn, August 25, at Auburn.

'12.—Everett P. Walton, North Jay, and Leola G. Goding, Topsham, June 25, at Rosedale on the New Meadows River.

'12.—Dr. Lyde S. Pratt, Charlottesville, Va., and Miss Ethel L. Withee, Farmington, June 30, at Farmington.

'14.—Edward H. Snow, Avon, Mass., and Miss Pearl L. Sutton, Lynn, Mass., July 8, at Lynn, Mass.

'14.—James C. Tarbox, Topsham, and Miss Mary M. Lightbody, Bath, July 21, at Lewiston.

'15.—Robert E. Bodurtha, Lima, N. Y., and Miss Margaret E. Swett, Brunswick, August 17, at Brunswick.

Among the engagements announced during the summer are the following:

'99.—Miss Theresa C. Stuart of Rockland to Charles C. Phillips of West Orrington, June 26.

'03.—Miss Dora A. Edwards of Haverhill, Mass., to Edward A. Dunlap of Haverhill, Mass., June 18.

'09.—Miss Hazel Nickerson of Boothbay Harbor to Percy G. Bishop of Ponce, Porto Rico, August 6.

'15.—Helen E. Merriman of Brunswick to Thomas B. Bitler of Cambridge, Mass., July 30.

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## AMHERST WINS 6-0

Amherst avenged her 7-0 defeat by Bowdoin last year by winning Saturday's game by a single touchdown. Bowdoin played well on the whole but lacked the punch to score when in possession of the ball on Amherst's eight yard line in the third quarter. Foster and Stuart, starring in the backfield, rushed the ball from midfield to the shadow of the goal-posts but Amherst's line held for downs, preventing Bowdoin's only chance for a score.

Rider of Amherst was the star of the game, reeling off several runs of 25 and 30 yards by circling the Bowdoin ends and darting outside tackle. One of these in the second period resulted in a 35-yard dash for the only score of the game. Long end runs and line plunges kept the ball in Bowdoin's territory most of the time but on the 25-yard line the defense stiffened and stopped the Amherst backs.

Ashley did the best kicking of the game. With a mud-soaked ball, he made several punts of sixty yards and averaged about fifty. Amherst was the only team to use the forward pass, making one successful one of 30 yards and losing several others through quick work by the Bowdoin ends. Amherst's line was the better of the two, Bowdoin's weak spot being the tackles, around whom most of the long gains were made. The tackling of the Bowdoin team was wretched, being the chief cause of the defeat. The second and last quarters were easily Amherst's, the third Bowdoin's and the first an even thing. Twenty-three men made the trip, including the coaches.

The score:

AMHERST	BOWDOIN
Goodridge, le.....	re, Beal
Knowlton, lt.....	rt, Leadbetter
Hobart, lg.....	rg, Brewster
Widmayer, c.....	c, Stone, Chase
Downer, rg.....	lg, Young
Ashley, rt.....	lt, Moulton
Marks, re.....	le, Bradford
Tow, qb.....	qb, Shumway
Goodrich, lhb.....	rhh, Stuart
Taber, rhb.....	lhb, Foster, Dyar
Rider, fb.....	fb, Pettingill, Peacock

Score: Amherst 6, Bowdoin 0. Touchdown:

Rider. Referee: Ingalls of Brown. Umpire: McGrath. Head linesman: Johnson of Springfield. Time of periods, 10 minutes.

## FRESHMEN WIN FIRST GAME

The Freshmen defeated the Sophomores 6 to 5 Saturday morning in the first game of the annual series. The younger men were handicapped by the loss of four players who were being entertained at a nearby seaside resort by members of 1918. Butterfield allowed the Sophomores but one hit and secured eight strike-outs, while his team-mates Witt and Sylvester were hitting for extra bases. The weather conditions contributed toward costly errors on both sides and the game was called at the end of the fifth inning by Umpire Sam Fraser '16. The next game of the series will take place on Wednesday, Oct. 6. Following is the summary:

FRESHMEN	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Larrabee, 2b .....	3	0	0	0	0	1
Robinson, c .....	2	2	1	8	1	0
McCulloch, 1b .....	2	2	1	2	0	0
Witt, 3b .....	2	2	2	2	0	1
McPherson, ss .....	3	0	0	1	1	0
McCarthy, lf .....	3	0	0	0	0	0
Grover, cf .....	2	0	0	1	0	1
Sylvester, rf .....	2	0	1	1	0	0
Butterfield, p .....	2	0	0	0	0	1
Totals .....	21	6	5	15	2	4
SOPHOMORES	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Morse, lf .....	3	0	0	0	0	0
Woodman, cf ....	3	0	0	1	0	0
Needleman, 3b ...	3	0	0	1	0	0
Stanley, c .....	2	1	0	6	1	1
Murch, 2b .....	2	1	0	0	0	0
Pendleton, p .....	1	0	0	0	1	0
Stearns, ss .....	1	1	0	0	3	1
Pirnie, rf .....	1	0	0	1	1	1
Farnham, 1b .....	2	1	1	6	0	1
Van Wart* .....	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals .....	18	5	1	15	6	4

\*Batted for Pirnie in 5th.

Freshmen ..... 1 0 2 0 3—6  
 Sophomores ..... 0 2 0 0 3—5  
 Two base hit, Sylvester; three base hit, Witt;

stolen bases, Robinson, McCulloch; base on balls, by Butterfield 3, Pendleton 3; struck out, by Butterfield 8, Pendleton 7; hits off Butterfield 1, Pendleton 5; left on bases, Freshmen 3, Sophomores 1; wild pitch, Butterfield; passed balls, Stanley 2. Umpire, Fraser '16; time, 1 hour.

In the cane rush which followed the game the Sophomores came out victors but in the succeeding rush on the chapel steps, spectators generally gave the laurels to the Freshmen.

#### LARGEST REGISTRATION

Seven new men have registered in college the past week: Class of 1917: Kenneth Davis, Monson, Class of 1919: Robert Towle Burr, Dorchester, Mass.; Paul Edward Doherty, Cambridge, Mass.; Delmont Thurston Dunbar, Pittsfield; William Michael Fay, Allerton, Mass.; Newell Lyon Hemenway, Woodfords; Norman Eugene Robbins, Ritzville, Washington.

The total registration is now 405, a new record for Bowdoin. The summary by classes follows:

Seniors	81
Juniors	84
Sophomores	114
Freshmen	119
Special Students	7
Total	405

The Freshmen class is slightly smaller than last year's entering class but the Sophomore class, considerably larger than last year, brings up the total to the new record.

#### PROCLAMATION NIGHT

"Proc Night" was observed Friday evening with the usual festivities. Members of the class of 1918 succeeded in pasting the proclamations to about a hundred shivering Freshmen in the space of three-quarters of an hour, the ceremony being carried out with more than the usual celerity. After the regular "razoo" was completed, delinquents were hunted out and treated with an extra dose of paste as a penalty for concealing themselves. No important resistance was offered to the Sophomores by the Freshmen or upper-classmen and no appreciable damage was inflicted to the persons or property of anyone. The committee in charge of the affair consisted of Pendleton, Savage, Ripley, Nevens, Warren, Berryman, Stearns, J. E. Gray, Brierley, Chase and Thomas.

The Proclamation, which we reprint for the benefit of the Freshmen, reads as follows: "Freshmen: Obey these following DON'TS compounded by the illustrious class of 1918! 1.

Don't be seen without your Freshman caps. 2. Don't forget to tip your caps at all times and places to professors and upper classmen. 3. Don't appear on the campus without coats. 4. Don't wear apparel that is not at all times modest; bow ties and colored socks being forbidden. 5. Don't talk of your prep. school past. Forget it. 6. Don't walk anywhere but on the campus paths. Keep off the west side of Maine Street. 7. Don't thrust your society on Lewiston, Lisbon Falls and Bath. 8. Don't sing or whistle Phi Chi except at college gatherings. 9. Don't be seen smoking outside your rooms. 10. Don't overlook the fact that infringements of the above commandments will meet prompt and direful vengeance from the class of 1918."

#### CROSS-COUNTRY PROSPECTS

The prospects for a successful cross-country team this year are getting brighter every day. The call for candidates has been responded to well, for about thirty men have turned out for practice already, and many more are expected during the week. It is not yet certain whether the first contest will be with Wesleyan or with New Hampshire State. The second race is the Maine Intercollegiate at Orono, which is to be followed by the New England Intercollegiate at Boston. Among last year's veterans who have started work already are Irving '16, Sayward '16, Crosby '17 and Howard '18. The other candidates are: Hargraves '16, Crane '17, Maguire '17, Coombs '18, Edwards '18, Jacob '18, Jones '18, MacCormick '18, O'Donnell '18, Prosser '18, Roper '18, Savage '18, Simonton '18, Spear '18, Van Wart '18, Warren '18, Woodworth '18, Wyman '18, Berry '19, Irving '19, Mosher '19, Noyes '19, Turner '19 and Van Schoonhoven, special.

Colby has lost several of her best men and has left only one member of last year's team. Bates likewise has only two of her 1914 team left, but Maine has practically the same team as that which won the championship last year and will be the favorite again this year. With a good number out for practice, ready for hard work, Coach Magee may be trusted to do his best toward turning out a winning combination.

#### FRESHMAN ELECTIONS

The first meeting of the Freshman class was held in Memorial Hall Tuesday, Sept. 28. The following officers were elected: Savage, president; Atwood, vice-president; Fay, secretary-treasurer; Leighton, baseball manager. On Thursday the baseball squad chose Finn for captain.

## STUDENT ASSISTANTS

The following students have been appointed assistants to the professors in the various courses: Latin, Oliver '17; Greek, Fobes '17; German, Bartlett '17, Bagley '18; French, Winter '16; English, Evans '16, Sayward '16; Economics, Weick '16, Ross '17; Chemistry, Weatherill '16, Humphrey '17; Psychology, Barrett '16; Biology, Kinsey '16; History, Dunn '16, Moran '17.

## COMPOSITE SCHEDULE

The complete football schedule of the four Maine colleges is as follows:

## SEPTEMBER 18

U. of M. vs. Ft. McKinley at Orono.

## SEPTEMBER 25

Bowdoin vs. New Hampshire State at Brunswick.

Bates vs. Holy Cross at Worcester.

Colby vs. Harvard at Cambridge.

U. of M. vs. Yale at New Haven.

## OCTOBER 2

Bowdoin vs. Amherst at Amherst.

Bates vs. Ft. McKinley at Lewiston.

Colby vs. New Hampshire State at Waterville.

U. of M. vs. Dartmouth at Hanover.

## OCTOBER 9

Bowdoin vs. Boston College at Brunswick.

Bates vs. Trinity at Hartford.

Colby vs. Mass. Aggies at Amherst.

U. of M. vs. U. of Vermont at Orono.

## OCTOBER 16

Bowdoin vs. Wesleyan at Middletown.

Bates vs. New Hampshire State at Durham.

Colby vs. Norwich at Waterville.

U. of M. vs. Boston College at Orono.

## OCTOBER 23

Bowdoin vs. Colby at Waterville.

Bates vs. U. of M. at Orono.

## OCTOBER 30

Bowdoin vs. Bates at Lewiston.

Colby vs. U. of M. at Orono.

## NOVEMBER 6

Bowdoin vs. U. of M. at Brunswick.

Bates vs. Colby at Lewiston.

## NOVEMBER 13

Bowdoin vs. Tufts at Portland.

Bates vs. Dartmouth at Hanover.

Colby vs. U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis.

U. of M. vs. U. S. Military Academy at West Point.

## BOWDOIN UNION

Work on the Bowdoin Union has been handicapped by the lack of workmen available in Brunswick. The work, however, has progressed

so that it is expected to be open by the last of October. The interior equipment has all been purchased. The style will be Old English instead of Colonial as previously announced. Mr. Langley has spent a great deal of time in choosing the minor details such as moulding, floor finish, etc., so that the building may be constructed of the best possible material at a small expense.

The class of 1908 is paying for the carving of a fourteen foot log which forms the mantel-piece, to be a memorial to three members of the class, Richard A. Lee, John F. Morrison and James Lamb, all of whom lost their lives by drowning.

## REPORT OF ATHLETIC COUNCIL

## RECEIPTS

Balance from season 1913-1914.....	\$66 59
From A. S. B. C. for Football.....	1,400 00
A. S. B. C. for Baseball.....	1,075 00
A. S. B. C. for Track.....	1,000 00
A. S. B. C. for Tennis.....	140 00
A. S. B. C. for Fencing.....	168 69
Loan to Football, repaid.....	138 80
Loan to J. J. Magee, repaid.....	50 00
Loan to Track, repaid.....	25 00
Football funds .....	1,098 00
Interest on Deposits.....	3 67
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	\$5,165 75

## DISBURSEMENTS

To Football Manager.....	\$1,400 00
Baseball Manager.....	1,075 00
Track Manager .....	1,000 00
Tennis Manager .....	140 00
Fencing Manager .....	168 69
Loan to J. J. Magee.....	50 00
Loan to Track Manager.....	425 00
Bowdoin College, for lumber.....	4 42
Balance on Deposit.....	83
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	\$5,165 75

Respectfully submitted,

MANTON COPELAND,  
*Treasurer.*

Audited and found correct.

BARRETT POTTER,  
*Auditor.*

June 28, 1915.

## ORIENT COMPETITION

The following Freshmen are candidates for the ORIENT Board: Atwood, Boratis, Chadbourne, L. Doherty, Ewer, Farnham, Fay, Gardner, McDonald, Mitchell, Mosher, Perkins, Sawyer, Shwartz, Stephens. Any others who wish to go out are urged to see the managing editor at once.

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## Managers and Assistant Managers

The system of choosing managers for athletic teams has been particularly lax. Half a dozen men, many of whom go out rather for whim than for any aptitude for the managership, form the squad of candidates. At the end of a few months, an assistant manager is chosen. A year later, with no further competition, he is chosen manager. In other words, after a competition so short and many times so close that an honest distinction cannot be made, the future manager of some team is elected.

Two steps towards more efficient elections can easily be taken. In the first place it should be the duty of upperclassmen to see that candidates from their fraternity for assistant managerships

should be those with the most business ability and those most capable of assuming responsibility.

In the second place, two assistant managers should be chosen, to serve for one year. This deferred election of manager would mean additional competition and a better opportunity to judge the merits of the candidates.

We have been fortunate in the past in having able managers, but we cannot depend upon our present system to provide them.

## Hot Water

That constant effort is being put forth to make the dormitories more attractive and more comfortable we cannot doubt. That appreciation for "modern conveniences" is not lacking is shown by the decreasing amount of damage done college property. The amount of appreciation would be multiplied many times were hot water a surety rather than a mere possibility. Surely, within even our brief memory there has been sufficient opportunity to repair the troublesome boiler!

## During Initiation Week

The custom during initiation week of posting on the campus Freshmen with various oral duties to perform is one that keeps from studies or sleep not only Freshmen but also those upperclassmen who are so unfortunate as to room near a Freshman-infested spot. We fear we may be trespassing if we recommend to the fraternities that such Freshman duties be minimized; nevertheless, we are going to do it. If fraternities desire to discipline their Freshmen, let them do it. But why pester those who have been through the mill? The custom is not the most harmful that has existed, but we feel sure that its absence would be more popular than its presence.

## ORIENT BOARD ELECTS

The ORIENT Board met Wednesday afternoon to act on the resignation of Crehore '17 as managing editor. Philbrick '17 was elected to the vacant position. The matter of a mid-summer number, to be sent to the entering class in particular, was discussed but no action taken.

## MASQUE AND GOWN

The Masque and Gown is busily occupied with preparations for a play to be produced early in the fall. A more definite announcement of the title, cast and date of presentation will be issued later. The following are the newly elected officers of the society: Achorn '17, president; Stride '17, manager; Joyce '18, assistant



manager; Colter '18, property man. Ten new men have been admitted to membership: Noble '16, Brown '17, Maguire '17, Pike '17, Ross '17, Willey '17, Colter '18, Gray '18, Joyce '18 and Mooers '18.

#### STUDENT COUNCIL MEETING

The new Student Council held its first meeting of the year last Tuesday evening. It decided upon the following measures:

1. To defer action on the organization of the Bowdoin Union.

2. To approve the proclamation of the class of 1918 as read by the president.

3. To urge upper classmen to refrain from participation in the festivities of proclamation night.

4. To hold fraternity initiations on Tuesday evening, Oct. 19.

5. To hold a cane rush after the Freshman-Sophomore baseball game Saturday, Oct. 2.

6. To have the Freshman-Sophomore baseball games played on Oct. 2, 6 and 16.

The Council also made nominations for the Football Dance Committee. Two are to be elected from the following, with the man receiving the greater number of votes as chairman: 1916—Sayward, Elliot, Fuller, Brackett, Dunn; and one from each of the following groups: 1917—Ross, Pike, Marston; 1918—Warren, Pendleton, MacCormick; 1919—Savage, Sproule, Atwood. The election will be held Thursday afternoon from 3 to 6 in the Managers' Room at the Gymnasium.

#### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

A College Association Workers' Conference was held at the State Y. M. C. A. Camp on Lake Cobboscontee, Sept. 17, 18 and 19. The program consisted of a series of technical talks on Y. M. C. A. methods. Rev. Mr. Leavitt, pastor of the State Street Congregational Church of Portland and Mr. King, former state secretary for Massachusetts and Rhode Island, who had just returned from work among the students in the Balkan States, were the speakers. The four Maine colleges were represented by good delegations. The Bowdoin representatives were Mr. Langley, Foster '16, Crosby '17, McConaughy '17, Jacob '18 and Norton '18. Mr. Rowe, general secretary of the Bates Association, was in charge of the conference. It was decided to make it an annual affair entirely separate from the preparatory school conference. The 1916 conference will be in charge of Mr. Langley.

There is posted on the library bulletin board a list of books in the Christian Association library that are used as text-books. Any student wishing

to borrow any of these should apply to Mr. Langley or Chapman '17. More books could be used and additions to the library are requested.

At present the Y. M. C. A. work is confined to campaigning the Freshman class for membership. So far, the results have been satisfactory. Teaching of the English language to foreigners, particularly at the Cabot Mills and Pejepscot Mills, and sending of deputations to the preparatory schools and churches will constitute the main part of the social service work this year.

#### Art Building Notes

During the summer months there have been 3602 visitors in the Art Building including, as usual, many artists, authors, and prominent educators.

Among the artists were Ben Foster, one of our foremost landscape artists, and Howard Russell Butler, vice-president of the National Academy. Another distinguished visitor was Mrs. C. M. Raymond, widely known as Annie Louise Cary, who for thirty years has been trying to buy George P. A. Healey's portrait of Longfellow, painted in 1862. Mrs. Raymond has finally succeeded in securing the painting which, according to her intention, will sometime come to Bowdoin.

This painting was executed by Healy for the reading room of the Old Corner Bookstore in Boston, then occupied by Ticknor & Fields, and finally by James R. Osgood & Co. The picture was left by Mr. Osgood in his will to Mr. and Mrs. A. V. S. Anthony, whose daughter sold it to Mrs. Raymond, the present owner.

It has long been understood that Longfellow posed for only two portraits, this one and another, and that he frequently expressed his satisfaction with the Healy painting. It was warmly commended by the literary friends of the poet. Mr. Raymond believes that the picture gives a satisfactory idea of the appearance of Longfellow in 1862 and the fact that it received the warm approval of those who frequented the Old Corner Bookstore gives it an added value.

A highly valued addition to our collection of portraits of college worthies is the portrait of Professor Upham, presented by his nephew, Dr. Thomas Upham Coe of Bangor.

The very interesting portrait of Professor C. A. Goodrich of Yale, grandfather of Rev. Chauncey W. Goodrich, D.D., pastor of the First Parish Church, painted in 1827 by John Trumbull, is a welcome addition as a loan to our group of early American works by S. Mibert, Feké, Copley, Stuart, and others.

## REPORT OF STUDENT COUNCIL

## RECEIPTS

From sale of Freshman Caps .....	\$121 00
From A. S. B. C. ....	50 00
From Football Dance .....	203 50
From Vaudeville Show .....	28 30
Spring Rally .....	22 30

Total .....\$425 10

## EXPENDITURES

File-ne's for Freshman Caps .....	\$ 64 25
Football Rallies .....	7 28
Letter and Bill File .....	1 00
Football Dance .....	244 41
Alumni Letter .....	19 47
Student Council Stationery .....	4 75
Sub-Freshman Rally .....	8 93
Vaudeville Show (Trucking) .....	4 75
Spring Rally .....	28 63
Printing of Posters and Blanket Tax ....	10 10
J. A. Slocum (Tobacco for Rallies) ....	5 00
Delegate to N. E. I. P. S. L. ....	25 00

Total .....\$423 57

Balance .....\$ 1 53

## BILLS UNPAID

Wheeler Print Shop (Ballots for June Elections) .....	\$ 2 25
1916 Bugle (Student Council Picture Insert) .....	4 00
G. B. Webber (Sitting for Bugle) .....	75

Total .....\$ 7 00

Deficit .....\$ 5 47

I do hereby certify that the above statement is a correct summary of the financial status of the Student Council to this date, to my best knowledge and belief.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR McWILLIAMS,

Secretary and Treasurer.

I have this day, June 11, 1915, examined the above account and find the expenditures correct and well vouched for.

WILMOT B. MITCHELL,

Faculty Auditor.

## The Other Colleges

Sixty-seven universities in the United States are using simplified spelling, according to the report of the simplified spelling board. Several State universities have adopted this method. Missouri leads with nine such institutions.

In one of the Western universities a society has been formed among the seniors, the purpose

of which is to cultivate a beard. It is not stated whether it is the barbers or the hair mattress concerns that this action is aimed at.

Four students in Ohio Agricultural College are proving that they can go through college on ten cents a day. They have rooms together and do their own washing and cooking.

The faculty at Brown University recently ruled that every student should hand in a pledge that he belonged to no political clique before he could cast a vote in the student elections.

At Syracuse the female students have made plans for forming baseball, track, tennis and hockey teams.

Dartmouth has started a co-operative society, which is to be conducted along the lines of those at Harvard, Yale and Cornell. It started with a capital of \$5,000.

Clark College, since its beginning noted for the intensive scholastic work it demands of its students, has made arrangements whereby it will be possible for any man to make certain of getting his degree in three years. The plan contemplates the establishment of a special summer course, open on the one hand to students who wish to have a somewhat lighter academic burden to carry during the regular session and on the other hand to those who have deficiencies to make up. It is stipulated, however, that no man, however much work he may do during the summer, is to be allowed to take his degree in less than three years. The new courses naturally will be of full collegiate grade. Tuition to students will be free, although there will be a slight charge for laboratory courses.

According to a new arrangement established this year, Tufts students will have three college chapel exercises each week instead of six as formerly. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday are the days chosen and 10.50 A. M. is the hour. Jackson students will have their chapel exercises at the same hour Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

## On the Campus

Keyes '06, White '11 and Lappin '15 were on the campus last week.

The catalog number of the College bulletin will appear about Dec. 1.

Call '18 and Holbrook '19, who were severely hurt in the Freshman-Sophomore rush Saturday, have recovered from their injuries and are able to be out again.

Those wishing to apply for scholarships should get blanks at the treasurer's office.

The hare and hound race which was to be held

last Saturday was postponed on account of the heavy rain.

Coach Campbell has requested all students other than those out for football and cross-country to keep away from the athletic field during football practice.

Candidates for assistant track manager should report to Manager Marston at once.

Campbell '16 preached at North Deering this summer.

G. A. Allen *ex-'18* has left college, going to the University of Virginia.

There will be adjourns next Tuesday, Columbus day.

The Y. M. C. A. canvass for new members is now on.

During the summer a vault was placed in the treasurer's office and one in the Art Building for the preservation of the valuables of the art collection.

Remember the Topsham Fair, Oct. 11, 12, 13.

There will be an interclass track meet next Saturday.

Sammy Seal, the familiar campus janitor, will not be with us this year.

Ray '19 has the largest girth of head at college according to the physical examination.

The hedge around the Delta has been trimmed, presenting a much neater appearance.

Hill '19 was a soloist at Chapel vespers Sunday.

Opportunity for gym makeups and voluntary gym work is being given every afternoon, from 4.30 to 5.30, Kimball and Ireland in charge.

Men wishing to try out for the Glee or Mandolin Clubs should report this week to Fuller '16 at the D. K. E. house.

Brooks *ex-'18* has gone to Harvard this year. Eaton '17 has gone to Tufts.

The Sophomores have elected Hanson captain of football, Gray manager, Pendleton captain of baseball, Albion manager, and Pirnie captain of track, with Call manager.

The annual football dance will be held Nov. 6. All men who entered college late are asked to see Foster '16 about their blanket tax.

The number of men not returning to college this fall is in about the same proportion as in previous years. The list includes the following: Bamford, Bancroft, Boardman, Greeley, Hale, Ladd and Soule of 1916; Balfe, Creeden, Crehore, Foster and Martell of 1917; Blanchard, Brooks, Casper, Coyne, Derby, Emery, Hunt, Leydon, Payne, Smethurst, Totman, C. Wyman of 1918. Of this number, several intend to return to college next semester or next year.

## Alumni Department

'59.—William H. Stuart, one of Richmond's most prominent citizens, died Aug. 24, at the age of seventy-one years. He belonged to one of the best-known families in Richmond, his father being one of the famous shipbuilders of Richmond. He received his early education in the local schools and the Little Blue School of Farmington, and then entered Bowdoin, being graduated in the class of 1859.

During his entire business life Mr. Stuart was cashier of the Richmond National Bank, where his dealings with the business men of the town made him many staunch friends. Only three years ago he relinquished his duties, on account of advancing years. Since then he devoted much of his time to the supervision of the numerous farms in which he had invested and on which scientific methods are being employed with great success.

The best of his thought and energy, however, was given to the prosperity of his native town. One public concern of great moment to him was the Richmond library, of which he served faithfully as librarian for many years. To this work he gave unremitting attention, week after week, seeking in every way to increase the usefulness of the library to his fellow citizens. Every Saturday evening, until his health failed, he was at the library, studying its needs and supervising the work.

He never married, and, two brothers having already died, he was the last of his family.

'77.—On account of the preparations that are being made for the extension of the coast defence and the strengthening of the navy, Robert E. Peary, who was retired by act of Congress with the rank of rear admiral in recognition of his discovery of the North Pole in 1909, has offered his services to the Navy Department for any duty he may be called upon to perform. He has written to Secretary Daniels to that effect, offering to submit to the necessary physical examination. Although Mr. Peary declined to make any statement, it is known that he is anxious to be of active service to his country in the development of the program for national defence and preparedness.

Rear Admiral Peary has also tendered to the Aero Club of America the use of Flag Island in Casco Bay for a Maine aeronautical station of the aerial coast patrol which the club is endeavoring to have provided.

'06.—Robert T. Woodruff, for the last five years associated with the law firm of Nilés,



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Stevens, Underwood & Mayo, of Lynn, Mass., has formed a law partnership with Ex-Mayor C. Neal Barney of Lynn.

In Bowdoin Mr. Woodruff made Phi Beta Kappa and won other honors in scholarship. He was subsequently employed in a banking house in London, England, for a year, and graduated from the Harvard Law School in 1910. Since that time he has been practicing law in Lynn.

'11.—Joseph C. White has opened a law office in Bangor.

'11.—Chester E. Kellogg, who passed the summer at Harpswell Center on the farm formerly owned by his grandfather, Rev. Elijah Kellogg, Bowdoin '40, has accepted an appointment to the staff of the department of psychology in the University of Minnesota. After graduating with honors from Bowdoin, Mr. Kellogg studied philosophy at the Harvard Graduate School.

'12.—Arthur D. Welch, who graduated from Harvard Law School in June, was admitted to the practice of law before Maine courts on August 9 by Justice Haley.

'12.—Ellison S. Purington has been appointed to do scientific work in the electrical department of the Bureau of Standards at Washington, D. C. Mr. Purington passed a civil service examination at Lewiston with the highest rank of any in the United States who took the examination at the time.

'14.—Arthur S. Merrill, who directed the boys' work at the Augusta Y. M. C. A. during the past year, resigned his position and accepted an appointment to the faculty of the Maine Central Institute at Pittsfield.

'15.—Alvah B. Stetson has been awarded the third prize of \$50 for his essay on the subject, "Effects of the Underwood Tariff Law of 1913 as Bearing upon the Investor; Protection versus Free Trade." The prize was offered by the American Protective Tariff League of New York and was open to senior class men of American colleges.

To the list of marriages recorded in last week's issue of the ORIENT should be added the following:

'06.—Raymond A. Tuttle of Attleboro, Mass., and Miss Harriet S. Kelsey of Freeport, Sept. 15, at Freeport.

'11.—Dr. John E. Cartland of Brunswick and Miss Genevieve E. Dwinall of Auburn, Aug. 26, at Auburn.

'13.—Paul H. Douglas of New York City and Miss Dorothy S. Wolff of New York City, Aug. 21, at Raquette Lake, in the Adirondacks, New York.



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## BOWDOIN 14, BOSTON COLLEGE 0

Although crippled by a week's gruelling practice, Bowdoin had little difficulty in defeating Boston College 14 to 0 on Whittier Field Saturday. The Bowdoin line acted finely, but the backfield, crippled by the injuries to Foster, Nevens and Pettengill, was weak on the offense. Bowdoin's goal was only once in any danger, and for the most part, the ball was kept in the middle of the field.

With the exception of a forward pass from Shumway to Bradford which resulted in the first touchdown, the passing and punting of both teams was not up to standard. Bowdoin tried the pass five times without success, and Boston's three attempts were broken up. The punting, too, was poor for both teams, although Stuart shows promise.

Stuart gained considerable ground with his end runs, while Dyar showed ability in picking out the holes in the Boston line which was no match for Bowdoin's heavier line. Tonry and Duffey were the leading ground gainers for Boston. The first touchdown came in the second quarter. On Boston's five yard line, Shumway passed to Bradford who made a spectacular catch, two of the Boston men being after the ball. The second touchdown came early in the last quarter, when Dyar made a six-yard run through the line for the score. Leadbetter kicked the two goals.

Three men played their first game of 'varsity ball for Bowdoin Saturday. Bartlett played a hard game in the backfield, while Pike took right end in the place of Wood who was injured two weeks ago. Oliver played left tackle for a good part of the game. As in the first two games, Chase played half the game at center.

It will be difficult to draw conclusions from this game as to Bowdoin's prospects in the Maine series. In the first place, the team was badly crippled, with Nevens, Foster, Wood, Pettengill and Beal out of the game. Then, too, the other Maine colleges will put up a stronger defense than Boston offered. The effects of the coaching could be seen in the game yesterday, however, and the new men played their game well.

The game in detail follows:

### FIRST QUARTER

Tonry kicked off for Boston College. Stuart

recovered the ball and ran it back from the ten-yard to the forty-yard line. Bowdoin kept the ball for the next six plays, Stuart and Dyar breaking through for short gains. Stuart punted to Reagan who ran it back 20 yards. The ball was fumbled and Bartlett recovered it. Then Dyar gained four, Shumway lost five, and Dyar gained one again. An attempt at a forward pass was intercepted by Reagan who ran it back to the fifteen-yard line. Duffey gained seven yards in two plays, and then Wall punted to the 40-yard line. Bowdoin was penalized fifteen for illegal use of hands. Several punts followed. Stuart made one for 45 yards, to Reagan who was tackled by Bradford. Tonry then punted back 30. Stuart again kicked 50 yards. Duffey gained six yards. In the next play the ball was fumbled and recovered by Wall who made a 25-yard punt to the 33-yard line. In the next six plays Stuart and Dyar gained 25 yards, Stuart using his end run principally. He attempted a drop kick which was unsuccessful. Boston was penalized five yards for off-side, and Bowdoin was within easy striking distance of their goal, but Duffey punted 35 yards and the period ended.

### SECOND QUARTER

The second period started with the ball on Boston's 41-yard line. Bowdoin pushed Boston down the field, Dyar gaining 12 yards with a line plunge, and Stuart 17 with an end run. It took six plays to get to Boston's five-yard line, where Shumway's pass to Bradford made the first touchdown. Leadbetter kicked the goal. McKenna kicked off to the five-yard line and Shumway ran it back thirty yards. Stuart punted 20 yards, and the two plays which followed resulted in only one yard by Reagan and Tonry. Shumway broke up a forward pass. Another forward pass by McKenna was intercepted by Oliver who ran it back to the 34-yard line. Bowdoin held the ball in the next three plays but gained only a yard. Bradford recovered a fumble. Bowdoin was penalized ten yards for an off-side play. Duffey and Tonry gained three and nine yards respectively. Score: Bowdoin 7, Boston 0.

### THIRD QUARTER

Stuart kicked off to Duffey who ran it back ten yards. Tonry and Duffey gained three yards between them. Bowdoin gained two on a shift play.

Boston was penalized fifteen. Duffey punted from the five to the 35-yard line. A forward pass was intercepted by Tonry, and Boston College held the ball on their twenty-yard line. Kirke ran it across the field for no gain. Bartlett gained a yard, Stuart made no gain, and Bartlett again made five yards. Stuart punted 33, and Daley punted back 30, which was run back thirteen by Stuart. Bowdoin was penalized fifteen for holding. Shumway broke through for a fifteen-yard gain, Stuart lost a yard, and then punted for a two-yard gain. Reagan lost five, Daley kicked it 25 yards and it was run back 10 by Stuart. Bowdoin then rushed the ball down the field with short gains by Stuart and Dyar, and a five-yard gain by Pike. The quarter ended with the ball on Boston's six-yard line.

#### FOURTH QUARTER

Bowdoin scored on the second play, Dyar going six yards for a touchdown. Dyar ran Tonry's kick-off back 20 yards. Fitzgerald recovered a fumble and Duffey lost seven yards on the next play. Dyar gained three and Stuart lost two. Stuart punted for fifteen yards. Boston was penalized for off-sides. McKenna gained four, and Bowdoin worked the delayed pass for a gain. Daley punted 12 yards to Stuart. Stuart's 35-yard punt was run back 25 by Reagan. Two forward passes were broken up. Daley punted 35 and Shumway ran it back ten. Bradford gained three. The game ended with Bowdoin in possession of the ball near the center of the field. Score: Bowdoin 14, Boston 0.

BOWDOIN	BOSTON COLLEGE
Bradford, le	.....re, Kirke
Oliver, Moulton, lt	.....rt, Bradley
Moulton, Young, lg	.....rg, Dullea, Sullivan
Chase, Stone, c	.....c, Murray
Stone, Brewster, rg	.....lg, Donovan, Rooney
Leadbetter, rt	.....lt, Daley
Pike, re	.....le, Fitzgerald
Shumway, qb	.....qb, Reagan
Bartlett, Peacock, lhb	.....rhh, Wall, McKenna
Stuart, rhh	.....lhb, Duffey
Dyar, fb	.....fb, Tonry

Score: Bowdoin 14, Boston College 0. Touchdowns, Bradford, Dyar. Goals from touchdowns, Leadbetter 2. Referee, T. F. Murphy of Harvard; umpire, R. Beebe of Yale; field judge, T. H. Kelley of Portland Athletic Club; head linesman, J. L. Hooper of Auburn. Two ten and two 12-minute quarters.

#### FOOTBALL PROSPECTS

To predict Bowdoin's football fortunes successfully is impossible on account of the many injuries. If the men now out are unable to get into

the State series, Bowdoin's chances will be small enough. But their return should make Bowdoin a strong factor. For the same reason any figures on the Wesleyan game necessarily fail.

Men who have been on the bench on account of injuries are Foster, Nevens, Pettengill and McClave from the backfield, Drummond and Wood at end, and Edwards from the line. The line as a whole is in good condition.

Bowdoin and Wesleyan have not yet played the same opponent. Wesleyan has, however, defeated her opponents by decisive scores and Bowdoin will have to play her best to win. Wesleyan has been strengthened by the return to college of half-back Deetjen and presents a strong line-up, though without the services of Keenan, who, it will be remembered, by a drop-kick for 25 yards, won last year's game for Wesleyan 3 to 0.

This last week was probably the hardest the squad will have to face. Constant scrimmaging and running back of punts and kick-offs have been the main work.

Coach Campbell is very uncommunicative and refuses to make any predictions as to future possibilities.

#### RESULTS IN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Progress in the fall tennis tournament has been slow on account of the poor condition of the courts. The several matches which have been played in the first round to date are as follows: Farnham '18 defeated Olson '16, 8-6, 6-0; Carter '16 defeated Bachelder '18, 6-2, 2-6, 6-2; DeMott '18 defeated Albion '18, 3-6, 6-2, 6-0. Philbrick '18 defeated Biggers '17, 6-0, 6-4.

The best two sets out of three decide the winner. It is hoped all matches will be played off as soon as possible.

#### FOOTBALL DANCE COMMITTEE

An election for the Football Dance Committee was held Thursday afternoon in the Managers' Room at the Gymnasium. The nominations, as made by the Student Council two weeks ago, were: 1916—Sayward, Elliot, Fuller, Brackett, Dunn; 1917—Ross, Pike, Marston; 1918—Warren, Pendleton, MacCormick; 1919—Savage, Sproule, Atwood. The following men were elected: Chairman, Fuller '16; 1916—Dunn; 1917—Marston; 1918—Pendleton; 1919—Atwood.

#### COLLEGE PREACHERS FOR 1915-16

The following is the list of college preachers for the coming year: October 17, Rev. Willard L. Sperry, Central Congregational Church, Boston, Mass.; December 19, Rev. Charles R. Brown, D.D., Yale University, New Haven, Ct.; Febru-

ary 27, Rev. Albert Parker Fitch, LL.D., President of Andover Seminary, Cambridge, Mass.; April 16, Rev. Edward F. Sanderson, Brooklyn, N. Y.

#### 1916 COLLEGE CALENDAR

Sampson '17 has been chosen to assist Foster '16 in the preparation and sale of the annual Bowdoin calendar. A beautiful white leather calendar is being prepared and will be placed on sale December tenth.

#### TURNER WINS HANDICAP RACE

The course was by no means in the most favorable condition for a cross-country race last week, as a heavy rain made the footing unsteady for the runners. Good time resulted, however, and the contest ended in a struggle for first place between Turner and Irving. The contestants finished in the following order: Turner '19, Irving '16, Wyman '18, Hamlin '18, Jacob '18, Mosher '19, Jones '18, Warren '19, Gardner '19, Roper '18, Hildreth '18, Savage '18, Simonton '18, O'Donnell '18, Cole '19, McCormick '18, Cormack '17, Ingraham '19.

Coach Magee wishes to repeat that all men who intend to go out for fall track work should report at Whittier Field this week.

#### TRACK CLUB MEETS

The Track Club held an important meeting Thursday evening, Oct. 7, at the Beta house. There were about 50 present, Captain Leadbetter presiding. Marston '17 was unanimously elected secretary for the ensuing year; with this exception the old officers were continued.

Captain Leadbetter outlined the work for the coming year. He emphasized the necessity of working hard and sticking to the job. Coach Magee spoke, telling of the excellent prospects and urging all, old men and new, to show their spirit and come out at once. His talk was interesting, straight-forward and to the point, and his hearers were much impressed. Manager Marston promised that he and Assistant Manager Walker would do their part toward putting out a winning team.

The appointment of Irving '16 as captain of cross-country was announced and Manager Marston gave out the following schedule:

Oct. 8. Handicap Cross-Country Race.

Oct. 22. Bowdoin Freshmen vs. Hebron Academy (pending).

Oct. 26. Interclass Cross-Country Race.

Oct. 29. Dual Cross-Country Race: Bowdoin vs. New Hampshire State, at Brunswick (date pending).

Nov. 2. Annual Fall Interclass Track Meet.

Nov. 5. M. I. C. A. A. Cross-Country Race at Orono.

Nov. 13. N. E. I. C. A. A. Cross-Country Race at Boston.

Taken as a whole the meeting was one of the most enthusiastic and successful ever held in the history of the club. All seemed ready to do hard work in order that the team might be as successful as possible. Meetings of the club are to be held every month during the college year and all members should attend.

#### MUSICAL COMEDY PRIZE

The Masque and Gown offers a prize of ten dollars for the best original musical comedy. The contest is open to all undergraduates. The award will be made on the basis of plot and lyrics, and, if the music is also original, that will be taken into consideration. The contest will be judged by a committee of the faculty which has the power to withhold the award if nothing suitable is presented. Manuscripts must be sent to the president of the Masque and Gown on or before November 20.

#### FACULTY ADVISORS APPOINTED

The following members of the faculty have been appointed as advisors for the various fraternities: Alpha Delta Phi, Professor Cram; Psi Upsilon, Professor Files; Delta Kappa Epsilon, Dean Sills; Zeta Psi, Professor Johnson; Theta Delta Chi, Professor Mitchell; Delta Upsilon, Professor Brown; Kappa Sigma, Mr. Langley; Beta Theta Pi, Dr. Gross; Bowdoin Club, President Hyde; Beta Chi, Professor Ham.

#### SUNDAY CHAPEL SERVICE

The chapel exercises Sunday were conducted as a memorial service for the late Bishop Codman of Portland. President Hyde, before introducing the principal speaker, Dean Sills, said, "The church, the state and the college had a devoted friend in Bishop Codman." Professor Sills spoke especially of the Bishop's relation to Bowdoin. His generous aid and sympathy was never lacking to the college and several students were assisted in entering Bowdoin by his active encouragement and aid. The deceased was a member of the Harvard Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi and often visited the house of the local chapter. He frequently remarked that nothing refreshed him more than an evening spent with his younger fraternity brothers.

The service closed with the singing of an anthem by a quartet composed of Leadbetter '16, Haseltine '17, Thomas '18 and Hill '19.



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## The Football Dance

As the time for the proposed football dance draws near, we wonder if the night of the last home football game is the date best fitted for a college dance. It is not; nearly any other time would suit the college better.

We are constantly faced with the disappointing prospect of seeing good men turned towards other colleges,—men who, we like to think, would naturally come to Bowdoin. We must not avoid this fact: if we are to get good men we must work for them. Competition is keen. We can waste no opportunities.

One of the best opportunities of introducing men to the college is the Maine game. The excitement and enthusiasm of any championship

contest will do more to swing undecided men to Bowdoin than any amount of dry statistics and heart-to-heart talks.

Furthermore, from the last football game to the indoor meets, there is no time to show men the college under any conditions other than those of humdrum everyday life,—not particularly appealing to the average man.

There is another consideration, of minor importance, perhaps to the undergraduate, but quite real to the alumnus, who, returning for the game, is unable to occupy his customary couch in the fraternity house.

Thanksgiving or Christmas offer no such opportunities for rushing men. But a dance at either time, preferably at Christmas, would be fully as successful.

And there is this added advantage. The football dance is on Saturday night. Dancing must stop at midnight. A Christmas dance could go the faculty limit.

It is not too late to make the change this year. We hope that the committee will at least consider it. Serious consideration will, we think, result in postponement of the dance till Christmas.

## An Alumni Bulletin

We print in this issue a letter from Mr. Leigh, a former editor of the ORIENT, advocating an enlarged issue of the ORIENT at regular intervals "to serve as a medium between the alumni and the college." The possibilities of this plan are so ably set forth in Mr. Leigh's letter that no re-statement here is necessary.

We will say, however, that we are heartily in favor of an alumni bulletin, connected if possible with the ORIENT. The chief stumbling block has been financial. Perhaps the college may soon see its way clear to give pecuniary assistance. The College Bulletin and the ORIENT might be combined with smaller total expense.

Alumni and faculty aid must be enrolled for preparation of material. We readily confess our inabilities. The ORIENT Board should and would do all in its power to aid in an alumni bulletin, but the policy of a bulletin and the majority of its material belong justly to those of more mature minds.

## COMMUNICATION

To the Editor of the ORIENT:—

Ever since I was puzzled, as editor of the ORIENT, with the problem of making that organ at once a newspaper and magazine, I have been interested in the establishment of some organ to serve as a medium between the alumni and the



College, an organ which should contain all that range of material which the crowded ORIENT communications so inadequately cover. Three years ago our Board proposed the so-called *Outlook* plan providing for an enlarged monthly edition of the ORIENT edited by alumni, faculty and student representatives. The merits of this scheme have been enumerated in these columns. Briefly they are: the advantages of great variation in size and the use of an organized journal instead of establishment of a separate organ. Occasional ORIENT editorials have advocated the plan since its first proposal; it has appeared in the discussions of the Bowdoin Publishing Company, and the Alumni Council was advised to consider it. But the proposition still remains in the populous graveyard of neglected and forgotten schemes which have had their brief life on these editorial pages. Now, however, that the Bowdoin Union has been resurrected from its burial place and is actually to be a reality, I take fresh hope in bringing this proposition again before ORIENT readers.

In this time of overpopulated newstands any new journal surely needs a justification. May I offer as the best statement of such a justification a quotation from *The College Man and the College Woman*? "The alumni, especially the young alumni, can render their alma mater the greatest service at this point. They should compare the course of study in their institution with the best courses that are offered elsewhere. They should watch with jealous interest every new election or appointment, and know precisely what the election or appointment means; whether first it is on the side of retrogression or progress, whether it means improvement or decline." Here is expressed a valuable function which the alumni of Bowdoin should exercise.

But how shall this large body of comparison and information be brought to the college and to the alumni? The ORIENT has not the space for such work and its editorial staff is too immature for ably handling such material; the college bulletin and annual reports fail to cover the ground and give no opportunity for general expression or consecutive discussion. The Alumni Council, for which some had high hopes, is constitutionally unfit for the task. If it seeks to be representative in membership it is geographically impossible for its members to meet; if it is organized so as to make meetings possible it fails to be representative of region or opinion. What then is left? There are the alumni association meetings and the commencement reunions. These serve a valuable purpose, no doubt, but they are sporadic

and serve only a limited number. Too often the discussion at such times seldom rises above the athletic record, the "good old days" or the annual total of gifts. None of these organs can fulfill the function which the President points out as valuable.

Throughout the country there are Bowdoin alumni eager to hear what is really going on at Bowdoin, what the College is doing for its students, what some of its more prominent alumni are doing. Throughout the country there are alumni who could contribute something of real value to college opinion and policy. On the faculty there are surely many who would welcome the opportunity of prolonging their relations with their former students in this way. Among the undergraduate body there are those who would profit by an opportunity to enter this field of undergraduate writing, students whom the *Quill* would abash and the ORIENT obscure.

Such an alumni magazine Bowdoin needs, and needs especially in these times of educational unrest and criticism. It is fundamental that progress in a college community as well as in social life in the large comes through wide opportunity for discussion and comparison. A wide variation of opinion and intelligent integration of the best of the opinion should be the object of a public institution such as Bowdoin College. A service of considerable value would be done to Bowdoin by any group, faculty, alumni or Student Council, which should launch a Bowdoin alumni monthly in connection with the ORIENT.

Sincerely,

ROBERT D. LEIGH.

Reed College, Portland, Ore.

Sept. 20, 1915.

#### CHANGE IN ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS

Commencing this year there will be but one set of entrance examinations given in June, those at the early part of the month. Those given at the college on Commencement Day and the Friday and Saturday following will be abandoned. There will be, however, an opportunity to take examinations at the same time they are given at the schools.

#### SECOND CLASS GAME A TIE

Wednesday afternoon the Freshmen and Sophomores met in the second game of the baseball series. Like the first game, it was a pitcher's battle between Butterfield and Pendleton. The former secured 13 strike-outs and allowed three hits, while Pendleton is credited with 11 strike-outs and was hit safely five times. The only

Freshman score was a home run by Thomas in the third inning, although they threatened several times to force another man across the plate. The Sophomore run, made by Woodman, was the result of bunched hits in the ninth. Umpire Fraser '16 called the game at the end of the ninth on account of darkness.

Following is the summary:

SOPHOMORES	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Woodman, cf ....	4	1	0	2	0	0
Murch, 2b .....	4	0	0	1	1	0
Donnell, c .....	3	0	0	11	2	0
Needleman, 3b ...	4	0	2	2	0	0
Farnham, 1b .....	2	0	0	9	0	0
Pendleton, p .....	4	0	1	0	7	0
Moulton, rf .....	4	0	0	0	0	0
Stearns, ss .....	3	0	0	1	0	2
Reynolds, lf .....	2	0	0	1	1	0

Totals	.....30	1	3	27	11	2
FRESHMEN	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
McPherson, 1b ...	4	0	1	0	1	0
Larrabee, 2b .....	4	0	0	2	1	0
Boratis, 2b .....	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, cf .....	0	0	0	0	0	0
Butterfield, p .....	4	0	1	0	5	0
Finn, ss .....	3	0	0	0	2	0
Robinson, c .....	4	0	1	14	3	0
McCulloch, 1b ....	2	0	0	1	0	0
Sproul, 1b .....	2	0	0	7	1	2
White, rf .....	4	0	0	2	0	0
Small, lf .....	4	0	1	1	0	0
Thomas, cf, 2b ...	3	1	1	0	0	0

Totals	.....34	1	5	27	13	2
Sophomores .....	0	0	0	0	0	0
Freshmen .....	0	0	1	0	0	0

Two base hit, Robinson; home run, Thomas; stolen base, Pendleton; first base on balls, off Pendleton 1, off Butterfield 2; hit by pitcher, by Butterfield, Farnham; struck out, by Pendleton 11, by Butterfield 13; wild pitch, Pendleton. Time, 2 hrs. Umpire, Fraser '16.

### MASQUE AND GOWN READING

The Ivy Day play will be "Mrs. Dot" by the author of "Jack Straw." A reading will be held in the music room at 7.00 o'clock, Thursday afternoon. Any one thinking of trying out for the play should come. In any case, it is worth hearing.

### Club and Council

The Debating Council met last Tuesday evening. The manager of the council submitted a report in which were given the two tentative sub-

jects suggested by the executive committee for the intercollegiate debates. The subjects are: "Municipal Home Rule," and "Recognition of the Carranza Government of Mexico by the United States."

It was voted that at the next meeting the council should consider the advisability of making all who try for the interclass and Bradbury debates, eligible to membership in the council. At present only members of English 5 and those who have participated in the intercollegiate debates are eligible.

The council appointed Marston '17 chairman of the committee in charge of the Freshman-Sophomore debate; and chose Jacob '18 head of the committee in charge of interscholastic debates.

At this meeting also, Jacob '18 was elected vice-president of the council and Moran '17 assistant manager.

At the Athletic Council meeting held Saturday evening, Oct. 8, there was some discussion concerning baseball, during which the progress in the matter of securing a coach was reported.

The cross-country schedule, given in another column, was considered and approved.

It was not definitely decided to send a cross-country team to the New England Meet.

### On the Campus

C. Brown '15 was *on the campus* last week.

Alton Lewis '15 is teaching and coaching at Hebron this year.

Barton '19 was called to Portland last week by the serious illness of his father.

P. L. Card, H. E. Verrill and K. E. Ramsay, all of 1915, were *on the campus* Saturday.

Adjourns are being given today in all courses on account of Columbus Day.

D. K. Merrill '15, who is principal of Lisbon High School, was *on the campus* Sunday.

Swift '17 was operated on, Thursday, for appendicitis at the Augusta General Hospital.

For the first time in several years the observatory is being used this year.

Duck hunting in the vicinity of Brunswick has been reported good this season.

The Topsham Fair comes on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

M. S. Woodbury '03, of Clifton Springs, N. Y., and D. C. Drummond '09 were *on the campus* last week.

"Triangle tickets" to Topsham Fair may be obtained gratis by all Freshmen applying to Professor Moody.

Those men who have not received ORIENTS this

year should hand their names and college addresses to Foster '16.

Sophomores can receive their English 1 notebooks by applying at the English room in Memorial Hall.

The Freshmen who have reported as candidates for assistant track manager are: Hilton, Mahoney, Safford and Tebbets.

At the game Saturday afternoon, five or six youthful football enthusiasts took a tumble, when the branch of a pine tree, just beyond the fence, broke without warning.

J. F. Hamburger '10, J. E. Dunphy '13, C. A. Brown '14, F. X. Callahan '14, C. L. Russell '14 and P. J. Koughan '15 were on the campus for the Boston College game.

Brackett '16, Churchill '16 and Crane '17 attended the convention of Delta Upsilon at Ithaca, N. Y., Friday and Saturday of last week.

A large number of Bowdoin students have already bought tickets to the Music Festival to be held at Portland Oct. 12, 13 and 14.

Witt '19 has left college to enter major league baseball. He has signed a two-year contract with Connie Mack and will try out with the Athletics next spring.

The '19 banner was removed from Memorial Hall on Friday, in due time to make room for the flag on Columbus Day. It was necessary to take down the flag pole to accomplish this.

There will be a reading of the road and Ivy play, "Mrs. Dot," at 7 o'clock Thursday evening in the music room. All men, especially Freshmen, contemplating going out for the play should attend. There are ten parts in the play.

All Freshman candidates for assistant manager of the Masque and Gown should hand their names immediately to Stride '17 at the D. U. house. Those going out for property man should hand their names to Joyce '18.

Irving '16 and Crosby '17 were in Augusta the first of last week, taking the preliminary examinations for the Rhodes scholarship. One man from Bates is also competing for the three-year course at Oxford.

The pamphlet "Life at Bowdoin" may now be obtained at the Dean's office. Each student is entitled to one copy which will be sent to any address he leaves at the Dean's office.

The students in South Maine have installed a new telephone in their end. The number is 171.

Two tablets of polished wood have been put up in the Classical Room, in Memorial Hall. One bears the names of all the winners of the Sewall Greek Prize; the other, those of the winners of the Sewall Latin Prize. Both of these prizes were first awarded in 1879. The fund for them

was given by Professor Jotham Bradbury Sewall, of the class of 1848, formerly Professor of Greek in this college.

The following men are candidates for the chapel choir: 1916—Burnham, Fuller, Leadbetter, McDonald, Merrill, Parmenter and Woodman; 1917—Biggers, Fobes, Haseltine, Ross and Seward; 1918—Chase, Joyce, Lane, Stetson and Thomas; 1919—Dunham, Hill and Turner.

## Resolution

HALL OF THETA OF DELTA KAPPA EPSILON

Theta of Delta Kappa Epsilon desires to put on record a tribute to the memory of its beloved alumnus, Professor George T. Little '77, and an expression of the great loss that it has sustained in his death. Through the more than forty years of his connection with Bowdoin, Dr. Little never faltered in his loyal devotion to our Brotherhood, and he never failed, amid the many responsibilities of a busy life, to give constant thought and effort to its welfare. As an older brother to all of us, as a neighbor to our Chapter home, as a director of the Theta Chapter House Association for fifteen years and as the father of two of our younger members, his many ties with Delta Kappa Epsilon grew stronger with the years. It is ours to cherish his inspiring example of a stainless life, devoted to the noblest ideals and given ungrudgingly to the service of others.

RICHARD STEARNS FULLER,

DONALD WARD PHILBRICK,

WILLARD ARNOLD SAVAGE,

*For the Chapter.*

## CALENDAR

October

13. Topsham Fair.
- 3.30. Freshman Rehearsal for Mandolin Club.
14. 7.00. Reading of "Mrs. Dot," in the Music Room.
16. Wesleyan at Middletown.  
Bowdoin Second with Hebron at Hebron.  
Freshman-Sophomore Baseball Game.
17. College Preacher.
19. Fraternity Initiations.

## Alumni Department

'77.—Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, U.S.N., at a luncheon of the Rotary Club of Portland, gave an interesting analysis of the Swiss military system. The proceedings of the meeting have been published in pamphlet form and some of Admiral Peary's statements are emphasized in the



make-up of it. Under the caption, "Enormous National Asset," he says: "Think what an enormously valuable civic and economic national asset it would be to have among us millions of boys, yours and mine among them, taught to take care of themselves physically, to carry themselves erectly, to be manly; boys being trained in discipline, in system, in self-control, in self-reliance, obedience, loyalty and determination to carry to a finish the task that has been assigned or undertaken. And millions of young men trained in the fundamentals of military drill and movements, in the art of giving and obeying orders, and possessed of the knowledge of how to handle men; a knowledge just as valuable for business purposes as for military." This the Admiral argues is for the highest national efficiency in times of peace, and it is an optimistic argument in favor of military preparedness.

'03.—Niles L. Perkins has been appointed quartermaster at the National Home at Togus by the board of managers of the national soldiers' homes of the United States. The appointment will take effect on Nov. 1. The position is one of the highest offices at the Togus home and carries with it a splendid salary.

Mr. Perkins graduated from Cony High School in 1899 and from Bowdoin in 1903. He studied one year in the graduate school at Harvard, and following this studied two years at Harvard Law School. He then entered the law office of Wendall P. McGown in New York City and located there for a year and a half. Ill health necessitated his return to his home in Augusta.

In the last municipal election in the city of Augusta, Mr. Perkins ran for mayor on the Democratic ticket, and was defeated only by a majority of less than 100 votes by his classmate, Blaine S. Viles '03. Mr. Perkins was also campaign manager for E. E. Newbert, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor, in the last primary election.

Mr. Perkins is a Commandery Mason, an Elk, a member of the Loyal Order of Moose and of the Knights of Pythias. At Bowdoin and Harvard Law School he was a member of the Marshall Club, a society founded by John Marshall, a former chief justice of the United States.

'08.—Chester H. Yeaton has been on the campus recently. Mr. Yeaton received the degree of Ph.D. from the University of Chicago last August. This year he is teaching mathematics at the University of Michigan.

'09.—Daniel F. Koughan, for the past few years principal of Topsham High School, is instructor in French in the Portland High School. His successor in Topsham is Francis T. Garland '14.

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## WESLEYAN REPEATS, 3 TO 0

Wesleyan, for the second time in two years, won her game from Bowdoin by a single drop-kick. The game was well played and unusually even. There were few penalties and much time out for injuries although the game was cleanly played. Deetjen of Wesleyan starred on end runs, long kicks and at forward passing. His long kicks for thirty to forty yards when Wesleyan was hard pressed saved the game time after time. In the third quarter Wesleyan's forward passes, four in a row, brought the ball to the thirty-five yard line where Eustis, who kicked the winning drop-kick of last year, duplicated the trick and won the game.

Bowdoin played well and hard. She had fine defense and a heavier line than Wesleyan, Bradford and Leadbetter starring. Stuart's kicks were well placed and of good length. Both Bowdoin quarters put pep into their team and used good judgment in their selection of plays.

Wesleyan played with a crippled team, Sargent being absent from the line with an injured leg, and Harmon, Becker and Captain Hingeley all being out with injuries. Bowdoin made the most gains through the line, the middle of the Wesleyan line being the most vulnerable spot. Wesleyan made most of her gains around the ends. Straight football predominated except for the forward passes used by Wesleyan.

The game was played for the most part in the middle of the field and there were few first downs made. Each team had but few chances to score and the defense always tightened near the danger zone.

## FIRST QUARTER

Stuart opened the game by kicking to Stookey on the 5-yard line. Deetjen and Stookey together made 8 yards. After Deetjen had taken the ball for a 30-yard run around Bowdoin's right end, Stookey was thrown for a loss of 5 yards and Crafts made 3 yards through center. Short forward passes netted 5 yards. Another pass failed. Deetjen punted to Dyar. Three downs with only a one-yard gain on attempted line plunges forced Stuart to punt to Slocum who missed the ball and recovered it on the 20-yard line. Deetjen carried the ball for a 30-yard end run and Crafts followed with an 8-yard gain

through center. The ball went to Bowdoin on a fumble. A series of plays in which Shumway, Dyar and Stuart figured only netted six yards and Stuart punted to Stookey. Deetjen made eight yards on end runs. Crafts four yards through center, and Stookey three yards through right tackle. After an attempted end run by Stookey, Deetjen punted to Shumway. Attempted line plunges netted no gains for Bowdoin and Stuart was forced to punt. Markthaler and Stookey failed to gain and Deetjen punted. The quarter ended with the ball in mid field.

## SECOND QUARTER

Deetjen was thrown for a five-yard loss on an end run. An attempted forward pass failed and Bartlett intercepted another on the 40-yard line. Phillips went in for Shumway, whose arm was badly sprained. End runs gained Bowdoin her first down of the game, but was forced to give it up soon. Line plunges failed for Wesleyan and Deetjen was forced to punt, Stuart punting back at once. Phillips intercepted a pass, and gained two yards. Stuart punted. Wesleyan was unable to penetrate Bowdoin's left side, defended by Leadbetter and Moulton. Deetjen punted. The quarter ended with the ball in Bowdoin's possession in mid field.

## THIRD QUARTER

Stuart kicked to Peck who ran back 5 yards from the 25-yard line. Line plunges failed; Deetjen punted, Stuart returning the punt after one down had only netted one yard. Deetjen carried the ball for a 25-yard run. Wilbur gained eight yards and Markthaler three around the end for first down. A series of line plunges failed and on the third down, Peck called Eustis back, who drop-kicked 35 yards for the first score of the game.

Stuart kicked to Wilbur who carried the ball up the field 12 yards. Leadbetter and Moulton proved a stumbling block and Deetjen punted. Bowdoin was unable to gain and Stuart returned the punt after the third down. An exchange of punts followed. Deetjen's forward pass to Hallock netted 35 yards. Line plunges and short end runs by Deetjen put the ball on the five-yard line. Wesleyan was penalized 15 yards for holding the ball on the 25-yard line. A forward pass from Peck to Boswell netted seven yards, but Leadbet-

ter intercepted the next pass. Stuart at once kicked the ball out of danger. A series of attempted forward passes failed for Wesleyan. Wesleyan was in possession of the ball at the end of the quarter on her 25-yard line.

#### FOURTH QUARTER

Stookey and Crafts made no gains and Oliver intercepted a forward pass on the 15-yard line. Phillips carried the ball 28 yards around right end. Bowdoin was powerless to gain and Stuart attempted to drop-kick from the 45-yard line. Forward passes again failed, and Bartlett punted. Deetjen punted back and on a fake kick play Eustis intercepted a pass on the 25-yard line. Bowdoin and Wesleyan exchanged kicks after each could make no gain. Bowdoin tried three forward passes, all being blocked by Crafts. Stuart punted to Slocum on the 30-yard line, who ran back five yards. Leadbetter was knocked out when he tackled Slocum. The quarter ended with the ball on Wesleyan's 45-yard line.

The score follows:—

WESLEYAN	BOWDOIN
Hallock, le.....re, Stanley, Drummond, Pike	
Wilkinson, Hughes, lt.....rt, Leadbetter, Campbell	
Young, lg.....rg, Brewster	
Eustis, c.....c, Stone	
Stookey, Markthaler, Studwell, lhb...rhb, Stuart	
Slocum, Peck, qb.....qb, Shumway, Phillips	
Deetjen, rhb.....lhb, Dyar	
Crafts, Wilbur, fb.....fb, Bartlett, Peacock	

Score: Wesleyan 3, Bowdoin 0. Goal from field: Eustis. Referee: Johnson, Springfield Y. M. C. A. Training School. Umpire: McGrath, Boston College. Head linesman: Kingdon, Columbia. Time: 14, 12, 14, 12.

#### AS THE STATE SERIES STARTS

The Maine series starts Saturday with the four colleges quite evenly matched and all confident. Bates has the lightest team of the four, yet the Amherst game showed that light teams are not to be despised. The injuries which our team sustained in the Wesleyan game and in the practice of two weeks ago have somewhat handicapped Bowdoin in the race, yet it is probable that Foster, Nevens and Wood will be in shape for the series. The loss of Shumway will be felt at quarter, yet Phillips may prove a worthy successor. The line has acted well in the four games Bowdoin has played, and we have not been able to see what the backfield can do since the New Hampshire game. Another week's practice such as that following the Amherst game would probably be fatal to Bowdoin's chances, for in a college of this size there are not the men to draw upon to replace the injured.

The game with Colby Saturday will be an important one in determining our place in the series, for the Waterville college promises to be a formidable rival. In the game with Norwich, last Saturday, twenty-six men were used, and three surprisingly good finds were made—a quarterback, a halfback and a tackle. To be sure, the absence of Ginger Fraser will be felt on the Colby team this year, and their line was considerably weakened by graduation last year. Cawley has been doing great things in the backfield this fall again, and is the mainstay of the team. In last year's game, Colby outweighed Bowdoin ten pounds to a man, but the teams will be even this year.

Bates will probably be the easiest of the three teams which we play, although Bowdoin was overconfident in last year's game. If the backfield is in good condition for the Bates game, our line should be able to look out for the rest of it. Open playing will probably be resorted to by Bates. Maine will offer stiff opposition, but does not appear as formidable as Colby. There are a number of veterans on the team who have shown up well in the first few games.

Bowdoin and Maine both defeated Boston College by the same score—14 to 0. Bowdoin defeated New Hampshire State 19 to 0, while Colby scored 18 to 0 on them. These results appear quite even, but in both of those games the Maine colleges were not exerting themselves and many new men were tried out. Colby showed up well against Harvard, better than Maine did against Yale. Bates played a strong game in its first game with the Massachusetts Aggies, which the latter won with a 7 to 0 score. In the Wesleyan game, Bowdoin's line held well, and with the exception of the drop kick, the two teams played a fairly even game. Bowdoin has not played against such teams as Harvard and Yale, yet it has had two quite even rivals in Amherst and Wesleyan.

The Campbell coaching will be watched with interest Saturday, for the team will be playing in dead earnest. With the coaching and a whole team, Bowdoin's chances look good.

#### ADJOURNS WEDNESDAY MORNING

On account of fraternity initiations tonight and consequent late hours, adjourns have been granted in all courses Wednesday morning. Afternoon classes will be held as usual.

#### DANCE TO BE NOV. 6

The fall college dance will be Nov. 6, the night of the Bowdoin-Maine football game, according to the decision of the recently elected committee.

## FRATERNITY INITIATIONS

## ALPHA DELTA PHI

From 1919

Rand Augustus Dunham,	Rumford
Bateman Edwards,	Bangor
Donald Shackley Higgins,	Brewer
Jacob Barker Ham,	Lewiston
William Frye Martin,	Lexington, Mass.
Donald McDonald,	Portland
Charles Edward Thomas,	Portsmouth, N. H.
Gaston McFarland Stephens,	New Bedford, Mass.

## PSI UPSILON

From 1917

Paul Glen Kent,	Fitchburg, Mass.
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From 1918

Jean Paul Hamlin,	Milo
Oscar Lawrence Hamlin,	Milo

From 1919

William Angus,	Manchester, Mass.
Delmont Thurston Dunbar,	Penobscot
Gordon Sweat Hargraves,	West Buxton
Newell Lyon Hemenway,	Portland
James Fuller Ingraham,	Augusta
Leon Leighton, Jr.,	Wilton

## DELTA KAPPA EPSILON

From 1919

Lewis Albert Burleigh, Jr.,	Augusta
Clifford Allen Butterfield,	Kingman
James Cottrell Doherty,	Springfield, Mass.
Louis Whittier Doherty,	Springfield, Mass.
Rolland Craig Farnham,	Needham, Mass.
Robert Hammond Haynes,	Ellsworth
Ralph Irving,	West Roxbury, Mass.
Warren Carleton Merrill,	Skowhegan
George Evans Minot,	Belgrade
Henry Chester Nelson,	Rumford
Durrell Leighton Noyes,	Winter Harbor
George Alden Safford, Jr.,	Bangor
Arno Charles Savage,	Bangor
Parker Brooks Sturgis,	Auburn

## THETA DELTA CHI

From 1918

John Thomas Reynolds,	New Haven, Conn.
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From 1919

Lawrence Gould Barton,	Portland
Robert Towle Burr,	Dorchester, Mass.
Edward Corcoran,	Norwich, Conn.
Daniel Francis Mahoney,	Portland
Lawrence McCulloch,	Ashmont, Mass.
Hugh Addison Mitchell,	Brunswick
Harlow Baynum Mosher,	Dexter

## ZETA PSI

From 1919

William Michael Fay,	Brookline, Mass.
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Roy Foulke,	White Plains, New York
Paul Rittenhouse Leech,	Philadelphia, Penn.
Reginald Thomas Lombard,	South Poland
Charles Bernard MacIninch,	St. Stephen, N. B.
Andrew Mace Rollins, Jr.,	Kennebunkport
Reginald Thorton Small,	Westbrook
Charles Myron Sprague,	Bath
Merrill Frederick Sproul,	Brewer
Perley Smith Turner,	Augusta
John Carroll White,	Jonesport

## DELTA UPSILON

From 1919

Raymond Loring Atwood,	Paris
John Wesley Coburn,	Lewiston
Lincoln Benner Farrar,	Bath
Harold Dunn Hersum,	Waterville
William Ellis Hutchinson,	Springfield, Mass.
Howe Samuel Newell,	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Ether Shepley Paul, 2nd,	Auburn
Howard Patrick,	Framingham, Mass.
Lloyd Robert Pendleton,	Dark Harbor
Duncan Scarborough,	Dedham, Mass.
Donald Harmon Tebbets,	Auburn

## KAPPA SIGMA

From 1917

Clarence Leslie Gregory,	Warren
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From 1919

Andrew Joseph Boratis,	Westfield, Mass.
Grant Butler Cole,	Springfield, Mass.
Russell Davey,	Holyoke, Mass.
Robert Porter Ewer,	Bangor
Edward Burney Finn,	Lynn, Mass.
William Edward Hill,	Meriden, Conn.
Frank Arthur Hilton, Jr.,	Portland
Albert Davis Holbrook,	Wiscasset
Orett Forest Robinson,	Warren
Francis Codd Warren,	Rumford
Eben Morrison Whitcomb,	Ellsworth Falls
Ruel Whitney Whitcomb,	Ellsworth Falls

## BETA THETA PI

From 1919

Myron Roberts Grover,	North Berwick
John Henry Kern,	Woodfords
Louis Blalock McCarthy,	West Roxbury, Mass.
John A. E. McClave,	New Jersey
Milton Morse McGorrill,	Portland
Stephen Erving Perkins,	Bartlett, N. H.
Almon Bird Sullivan,	Rockland
Rufus Harris Tillson,	Dexter
James Elmon Vance,	Lovell

## BETA CHI

From 1918

Walter Huron Lane,	South Portland
William Haley Van Wart,	Cherryfield



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## On to Waterville

The state football series starts next Saturday with Bowdoin playing Colby at Waterville and Bates playing Maine at Orono. The general enthusiasm about the campus augurs a record-breaking crowd to accompany the team. We hope so.

The hearty support of friends is of inestimable value to a team fighting on foreign ground. To many of our players, relatively new at the game, the presence of a large band of Bowdoin men will give that confidence of which they may be robbed by foreign surroundings.

Every Bowdoin man knows and likes to know that feeling of enthusiasm which causes us to cheer and sing until we are hoarse, to forget that

we are ourselves in our loyalty for the college and the team. On to Waterville! Our players are game, hard fighters, with the strong possibility of a championship in sight. We are behind them every minute, win or lose.

## More Men Needed for Football

The opening of the Maine series finds Bowdoin in need of more men. Our chances are good, but we can leave no stone unturned to better them. Over fifty men were candidates for the team at the beginning of the season, but half have dropped out. Those men should come out again, determined to stick to the finish. They can help bring the championship to Brunswick.

## Why Close Our Buildings Sundays?

Every pleasant Sunday brings to Brunswick its quota of automobile parties whose members wish to see the college,—the interiors as well as the exteriors of the buildings. But the Library alone is open. On Sunday afternoons of fall and spring, at least, our buildings could be open under the charge of students. The expense to the college would not be large. Here is another use for the half million.

## COMMUNICATION

14 October, 1915.

To the Editor of the ORIENT.

MY DEAR SIR:—Occasionally in the escapades connected with class contests at the opening of the college year, thoughtless acts take place that sometimes have unforeseen consequences. For example, last week the flag staff of the college was interfered with, and it would have been impossible to have raised the national flag in case of any emergency. I am writing to ask if the student body will not in the future recall that it is very fitting for the college to display the flag of the country often; and will regard it as unseemly to interfere in any way with the flag staff.

Very truly yours,

KENNETH C. M. SILLS.

## FRESHMEN WIN BASEBALL SERIES

The Freshmen won the third and deciding game of the Freshman-Sophomore baseball series Saturday by a score of 11 to 4. In the first inning, Butterfield was hit in the arm by a pitched ball and prevented from pitching. The Freshmen, however, proved that they had something up their sleeve by putting in White who fanned the first seven men who faced him, securing 13 strikeouts in all and getting three two-base hits. Pendleton was hit much harder than in either of the



other games. The score for the three games is as follows: 5 to 4, 1 to 1 and 11 to 4. The summary:

## FRESHMEN

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
McPherson, 3b ...	5	1	0	1	1	0
McCulloch, 1b ....	3	1	1	2	0	2
Albert, 2b .....	1	0	0	1	0	0
Ewer, cf .....	1	0	0	0	0	0
Butterfield, rf ....	3	1	0	0	0	0
Thomas, cf, lf ....	4	0	1	0	0	0
Finn, ss .....	4	2	1	1	1	0
Robinson, c .....	4	3	2	13	0	0
White, p .....	4	3	3	0	1	2
Larrabee, 2b .....	2	0	0	1	0	0
McCarthy, 1b ....	1	0	0	2	0	0
Sylvester, lf .....	1	0	0	0	0	0
Boratis, lf, 2b .....	1	0	0	0	1	1
Grover, cf .....	1	0	0	0	0	0
*Smith .....	1	0	1	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>

## SOPHOMORES

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Reynolds, lf, cf ...	3	0	0	1	0	0
Woodman, cf, rf ..	4	0	0	2	0	0
Pendleton, p .....	4	0	0	0	3	0
Donnell, c .....	2	2	1	10	1	0
Needleman, 3b ...	3	2	1	1	1	2
Murch, 2b .....	3	0	0	0	2	1
Farnham, 1b .....	3	0	0	6	0	1
Moulton, rf .....	2	0	0	0	0	0
Van Wart, rf .....	1	0	1	0	0	1
Stearns, ss .....	3	0	0	1	1	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10</b>

\*Batted for Boratis in 7th.

Two-base hits, White 3, Sylvester, Donnell, McCulloch; three-base hit, Finn; base on balls, off White 2; hit by pitched ball, by Pendleton, Butterfield; struck out, by White 13, by Pendleton 10; wild pitches, Pendleton 2. Time, 1 hr., 30 m. Umpire, Sam Fraser '16.

## HEBRON DEFEATS BOWDOIN SECOND

Saturday's game between Hebron Academy and a picked-up team from Bowdoin ended in a 48 to 0 victory for the prep school boys. The big score rolled up against the Bowdoin team does not indicate its strength as it played a much better game than the result showed, several times threatening to cross the Hebron line only to fumble and lose the ball on each chance. In the first period Bowdoin received the kick-off and carried

the ball to their opponents' fifteen-yard line. A pass from Hanson to Holbrook, the only star play made by Bowdoin's team, was a feature of this advance. Weakness in Bowdoin's line was apparent but in the backfield Sprague played a fine game on the defensive while McConaughy's work on the offensive was noticeable. Lack of training and practice was the principal cause of the failure of the team to make a better showing. Brilliant passing was the feature of Hebron's game, six successful tries resulting in total gains of 190 yards for the academy eleven. In the second period Jordan, the Hebron captain, kicked a goal from placement on the 35-yard line. The work of the two Hebron half backs, Shumacher and Jordan, was the feature. The summary:—

## BOWDOIN SECOND

Leclair, le.....	re, Holbrook
Chase, Hall, lt.....	rt, Hersum
Campbell, lg.....	rg, Ramsdell
Andrews, Kenyon, c.....	c, Fay
Holden, Major, rg.....	lg, Kern
Kenyon, Leavitt, rt.....	lt, Gillespie
Wahlquist, Chase, re.....	le, Freese
Purinton, Miller, qb.....	qb, McConaughy
Jordan, rlb.....	rlb, Sproul
Shumacher, Wentworth, lhb.....	lhb, Sprague
Murphy, Knight, fb.....	fb, Hanson

Score: Hebron Academy 48, Bowdoin Second 0. Touchdowns: Shumacher 4, Jordan 2, Murphy. Goals from touchdowns: Jordan 3. Goal from field: Jordan. Referee: Lewis of Bowdoin. Umpire: Thompson of Colby. Head linesman: Gardner of Bowdoin. Time: ten and eight minute periods.

## FIRST COLLEGE PREACHER

The chapel services Sunday were conducted by Rev. Willard L. Sperry, pastor of the Central Congregational Church of Boston. Mr. Sperry took as his subject the problem arising from the growth of Idealism on the one hand and the growth of Realism on the other. The former is shown in the fact that many men are today catching glimpses of a higher object in life and through many methods, of which Socialism is an example, are seeking to lift humanity; the latter is becoming more and more evident by the search for the plain truth, as in the great advances of modern science. The question for each one is, then, "Are you going up into Idealism, or down into Realism?" The answer which Christianity must accept, the preacher said, is found in the life of Jesus, who combined both principles: he gave attention to the practical duties of life, yet did not neglect the ideal.

### OPENING OF MEDICAL SCHOOL

The 96th annual course of instruction of the Bowdoin Medical School, the Medical Department of Bowdoin College, opened Monday morning, after three days devoted to registration and preliminary examinations. By a vote of the governing boards of Bowdoin College passed last June, the school is now known as the Bowdoin Medical School instead of the Medical School of Maine, as formerly.

The number of students enrolled for the year to date is about the same as last year, the total estimated registration being 63, and the numbers by classes being as follows:—Fourth year, 10; third year, 11; second year, 23; first year, 19. This is the last year in which students will be admitted with one year of college work, as in and after the fall of 1916, all candidates for admission must have had two years of study in a reputable college, in which time particular attention shall have been given to physics, chemistry, biology, and either French or German.

During the past year, the Council on Medical Education of the American Medical Association has again ranked the Bowdoin Medical School with the "Class A" schools of the country. The class ranking of "A plus" has been abolished by the council, so that "Class A" is now the highest classification accorded any school. The classification of medical schools is based on entrance requirements, courses offered, equipment, and the ability of graduates to pass the State Board examinations of the various states.

The faculty of the school suffered severely during the past year in the loss by death of Alfred Mitchell, M.D., LL.D., George Thomas Little, Litt.D., and Arthur Scott Gilson, M.D. Dr. Mitchell had been connected with the faculty of the school since 1869, having taught pathology, obstetrics, diseases of children, gynecology and internal medicine, and for many years served as dean. He had retired from active service in 1911, after 42 years of connection with the school, but held the position of professor emeritus of internal medicine until his death. Dr. Little had been connected with the library of Bowdoin College and the Medical School for 30 years and had made the medical library of great value to the students of the school. Dr. Gilson had given a valuable service as instructor in clinical surgery.

The school has lost by resignation James Alfred Spalding, A. M., M.D., for many years clinical instructor in ophthalmology and otology; James Donald Clement, M.D., assistant in genito-urinary surgery; Adam Phillips Leighton, Jr., M.D., assistant in diseases of women; Albert Kilburn Baldwin, A.B., M.D., clinical assistant in

medicine, and Neal Dow Tuttle, A.B., instructor in chemistry.

A number of promotions and appointments to the faculty have been made. Thomas Jayne Burroughs, A.M., M.D., formerly assistant professor of clinical medicine, becomes professor of clinical medicine; Carl Merrill Robinson, A.B., M.D., formerly assistant demonstrator of anatomy, becomes instructor in anatomy and superintendent of the dispensary. Herbert Eldridge Milliken, M.D., formerly assistant in medicine, becomes instructor in medicine. Richard Fitch Chase, M.D., is the newly elected instructor in gastro-enterology; Forrest Clark Tyson, M.D., Superintendent of the Maine Insane Hospital at Augusta, becomes instructor in mental diseases; Phillip Weston Meserve, A.B., becomes instructor in chemistry; and Elmer Henry King, A.B., M.D., becomes assistant demonstrator of anatomy.

At the annual meeting of the Maine Medical Association, the visitors to the medical school had the following report to make:

"It is our opinion that the Medical School of Maine is doing thorough practical work in the hands of instructors who are competent and enthusiastic.

"In our opinion the Medical School of Maine should have the unqualified endorsement of every member of the Maine Medical Association."

The following are the admitted members of the entering class, with the college at which preparatory medical courses were taken:—

Harry E. Allen, Brunswick, Bowdoin; George N. Beal, Jonesport, University of Maine; Albert M. Carde, Bowdoinham, University of Maine; William J. Donovan, Norwood, Mass., Fordham; Charles Stover Edmunds, Bangor, University of Maine; Samuel Fraser, Marsardis, Bowdoin; Charles H. Gordon, Ashland, N. H., Bowdoin; John J. Kershulis, Amsterdam, N. Y., University of Kazan, Russia; Frederick M. King, Damarscott, Valparaiso University; Merton J. McGrath, Ridgelyville, University of Maine; Daniel M. Mannix, Portland, Bowdoin; N. H. Nickerson, Red Beach, Bowdoin; Ulric J. Renaud, Brockton, Mass., Bowdoin; C. L. Staples, Millersville, Penn., Harvard; Bernard L. Toothaker, Strong, University of Maine; Elmer M. Tower, Southwest Harbor, Colby; H. Burton Walker, Biddeford, Bowdoin; Currier C. Weymouth, Kingfield, University of Maine; L. R. White, Bath, Bowdoin.

### GLEE CLUB TRIALS

Tryouts for the Glee Club were held last Friday and Saturday, Oct. 15 and 16. Announcement for the candidates for rehearsals will be

given out on Wednesday, Oct. 20. All candidates for solo positions and for reader should hand in their names immediately to R. S. Fuller '16, at the Delta Kappa Epsilon house.

#### EXCURSION TO COLBY

The Maine Central Railroad will offer excursion rates to the Bowdoin-Colby game at Waterville, Oct. 23. Special cars for Bowdoin students will be attached to the 8.05 A. M. train from Brunswick and the 5.30 P. M. train from Waterville. Full details will be announced at the football rally in Memorial Hall Friday evening. Manager Garland expects to have a quantity of the excursion tickets for sale at that time, and all who desire to attend the game are urged to procure their tickets at the rally. The band will accompany the football team and do its share in gaining a victory. Tickets, good on all trains, Saturday only, will be sold at \$1.50 for the round trip from Brunswick, and at proportionate rates from other cities.

#### ANNIE TALBOT COLE LECTURES

Professor Felix Emanuel Schelling, Ph., D., of the University of Pennsylvania, will deliver the Annie Talbot Cole lectures this year. Professor Schelling is now John Welsh Centennial professor of English Literature at Pennsylvania. He has received many honorary degrees and is the author of a number of works dealing with English literature.

The date of the lectures has not yet been announced.

#### CANDIDATES FOR THE BAND

The personnel of the college band which will accompany the football team to Waterville, Oct. 23, will be announced this week. The following candidates reported last Thursday evening: I. Webber '17, Pierce '18, Canavella '19, Moon '19, L. Smith '19, altos; Tilley '19, baritone; Knapp '17, manager, bass; Tillson '19, clarinet; McIntire '17, Bagley '18, Sandford '18, Simonton '18, Robinson '19, C. Stevens '19, cornets; Kelley '16, Chase '18, Warren '18, R. Turner '19, drums; Haseltine '17, leader, trombone.

#### GYM INSTRUCTORS

The gymnasium work for the coming winter will be in charge of the following men: J. C. Kimball, H. N. Dorman, A. G. Ireland, William Holt and H. B. Walker. In addition to these, the undergraduates who will assist are Chase '16, Nickerson '16 and Fenning '17.

#### RESULTS IN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Progress in the tennis tournament is still rather slow, the first round not having been completely played to date. The results for the past week are as follows: first round, Young '17 defeated Ginty '16, 6-4, 4-6, 6-2; Cook '17 defeated Whalen '18, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3; Cartland '16 defeated Achorn '17, 6-4, 6-3. In the second round Van Wart '18 defeated King '17, 6-3, 6-4; Ham '19 defeated Farmer '18, 4-6, 6-4, 11-9; Burr '19 defeated Moulton '18, 6-2, 6-2; Baxter '16 won by default over Allen '18, and Burleigh '19 won by default over McCulloch '19.

#### On the Campus

Shorey '04, Cressy '13, Koughan '15, D. K. Merrill '15 and Lappin '15 were *on the campus* this week.

There will be a meeting of the musical clubs, Wednesday at one o'clock in the Music Room, to elect a leader of the Glee Club.

Among the faculty who attended the music festival at Portland last week were Dean Sills, Dr. Whittier, Dr. Burnett, Professors Johnson and Cram.

All Freshman candidates for assistant manager of the Masque and Gown should hand their names immediately to Stride '17, Delta U house and for property man to Joyce '18.

A party of "Royal Rooters," composed of Irving '16, Burleigh '17, Chapman '17, Colbath '17, Crosby '17, Philbrick '17 and Spalding '17, made the trip to the Wesleyan game by automobile, last Friday, returning Sunday night.

This year's Topsham Fair was no exception to the rule. Thousands upon thousands of Maine's representative citizens daily thronged the midway or squeezed into the grandstand, and nightly crowded the streets of Brunswick. The student entrance in Topsham woods was well patronized. The thrilling motorcycle race with death, hit-the-nigger-in-the-head, Bridget the Moro Girl, and the hot-dog man,—these were the new features of the fair.

#### CALENDAR

- October
- 19. Fraternity Initiations.
- 20. 1.00 Glee Club Election in the Music Room.
- 21. First trials for "Mrs. Dot."
- 22. 7.00 Football Rally, Memorial Hall.
- 23. Colby at Waterville.
- 26. Interclass Cross-Country Run.
- 30. Bates at Lewiston.



## Alumni Department

'77.—As a guest at an aerial party, given by Truman W. Post at his summer home on Long Beach, Long Island, Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary, U.S.N., experienced his first trip in a flying boat. The engine stalled while carrying its passengers at a height of 1,200 feet, and the pilot was forced to volplane down to the waters of the bay, from which the hydroplane was towed back to land.

Medic '82.—Dr. Samuel Chase Thayer, who for the past 33 years has been a practicing physician in Boston, died Oct. 10 in his home, 913 Boylston Street, from an attack of pneumonia. Dr. Thayer was born in Waterville, Maine, received his A.B. degree from Colby in 1879, and in 1882 graduated from the Bowdoin Medical School. He was a 32nd degree Mason, and is survived by his wife, and a step-daughter.

'96.—Rev. Charles Grant Fogg, who closed a five years' pastorate at Royalston, Mass., on May 1, has received and accepted a call to become pastor of the Congregational Church at Hampton, Conn. The interim between these pastorates, which is the only period of rest that Mr. Fogg has had since his graduation, was spent at his summer camp in Staffordville, Conn.

'98.—Alfred B. White has formed a law partnership with Clarence A. Barnes to be known as White & Barnes, with offices at 85 Devonshire Street, Boston, Mass.

'06.—David R. Porter has recently become the Executive Secretary of the Student Department of the International Committee of Young Men's Christian Associations. In this position he succeeds Mr. Charles B. Hurrey and John R. Mott, Mr. Mott becoming the General Secretary of the entire International Committee.

'10.—Burton C. Morrill, M.D., Bowdoin Medical School '14, former Olympic shot-putter and track coach at Bowdoin and Bates, has accepted a position as medical director and coach of track athletics at Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana.

'11.—Charles L. Oxnard of West Medford, Mass., and Miss Lillian Frances Perkins of Bath were married October 1 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Perkins. In Bath, by Rev. C. Raymond Chappell of the First Baptist Church.

'13.—D. H. McMurtrie, who received the degree of S.B. in Chemical Engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in June of the current year, is employed in a sulphate pulp mill at La Tuque, Quebec.

'15.—Francis P. McKenney is principal of the Gorham (New Hampshire) High School.

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HER 40TH BIRTHDAY

TIME: "With my best respects and many happy returns of the day."

"How lovely! But what's in it?"

"A double chin, fifty wrinkles, two hundred gray hairs and a grandchild."

—Life.



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## BOWDOIN LOSES TO COLBY

Bowdoin's hopes for the Maine State championship in football were severely crushed when Cawley, ably assisted by the Colby team, defeated the White 34 to 6 on Alumni Field at Waterville last Saturday. Cawley easily proved his merit, for by clever dodging and heady work he scored four touchdowns besides kicking three of the goals from touchdowns. But due credit should be given to the Colby team as a whole which, both defensively and offensively, was exceedingly strong.

As for Bowdoin her line was weak and as a result the backfield, although fairly strong was unable to show to advantage. The whole team was weak on tackling, Cawley often eluding men when he was in their very grasp. This, with the failure of the Bowdoin forwards to open up holes for the backfield, spelled defeat for the White. At times the aggregation showed strength, especially at the beginning of the second half when Bowdoin scored her only touchdown. The work of Phillips at quarter was watched with interest and much credit should be given him for a wise handling of the team. Foster, although somewhat crippled, played a steady game on the offense and Edwards, who replaced Oliver at tackle, stopped the speedy Colby backs many times for substantial losses.

Bowdoin's only score came in the first of the third period. By persistent rushes the White had brought the ball to the eight-yard line. Phillips stepped back for a drop kick, Stuart received the ball and shot it across the line into the arms of Bradford.

Colby's scores were principally due to the efforts of Cawley, who by long runs and short plunges, made four touchdowns out of five. Two of these were made by runs of over fifty yards in length through the entire Bowdoin team. While Cawley was making Colby's lead a large one his teammate, Coolidge, kept it safe by excellent defensive work. He got men on either side of the line and stopped many plays.

Colby made her first score after only a few minutes of play when Cawley, getting the ball on a punt, slipped through the Bowdoin team for a 55-yard run and a touchdown. The second came in the same period when, after several rushes,

Cawley plunged through the line six yards for the score. The third took place in the second period. Hendricks, after neither side had shown ability to gain, skirted the end and crossed the goal line. Once more in the third period by several line plunges Cawley made twenty yards and a touchdown. Finally in the fourth period he caught another punt and ran 65 yards for the final score.

### FIRST PERIOD

Phillips kicked off to Cawley who ran the ball from the 10-yard to the 25-yard line. Stanwood punted to Phillips on the 35-yard line, Phillips being tackled on the 25-yard line. Foster made no gain and Bowdoin was penalized 15 yards for illegal use of the hands. Nevens made one yard and then punted to Cawley who ran 55 yards for the first score. Cawley kicked the goal.

Phillips kicked off to Perry. With the ball on the 30-yard line Colby fumbled, Leadbetter recovering. Phillips made five, Nevens one-half, and Foster two. Nevens made first down. Coolidge tackled Nevens for no gain. Nevens fumbled and Crossman intercepted a forward on the 25-yard line. Stanwood kicked. On a punt formation Leadbetter lost two. Nevens made eight yards. Crossman blocked a pass by Foster. Nevens punted. Stanwood punted to Bowdoin's 30-yard line, Phillips fumbling and Coolidge recovering. Colby was penalized 15 yards for use of hands. A forward to Perry failed. Stanwood passed to Cawley who carried it to the White's 23-yard line. Cawley and Schuster by large gains brought it to the one-foot line. Bowdoin's line stiffened and held for downs. Nevens punted to the 30-yard line, Cawley being downed by Leadbetter. Cawley made 17 around right end. Cawley made five. Crossman made three. Cawley made six for the second touchdown. He kicked out to Crossman for a try at goal, Crossman dropping the ball to the ground. Phillips kicked off to Cawley who ran the ball back to the 25-yard line. Stanwood punted to Bowdoin's 33-yard line. Foster made two, but Nevens fumbled on a punt formation, recovering the ball on the 22-yard line. He punted to Cawley and Crossman made three. The first quarter ended with Colby's ball on Bowdoin's 25-yard line. Score: Colby 13, Bowdoin 0.

## SECOND PERIOD

Cawley, Crossman and Selby made first down by straight line plunges. Cawley made 12 yards through right of center. Schuster made four yards, only to have Colby penalized five yards. On a trick formation Cawley carried the ball to the four-yard line. The next two plays netted no gain and Colby was set back 15 yards for holding. Two forwards failed and the ball was Bowdoin's on her 10-yard line. Nevens kicked to Colby's 30-yard line. Colby was penalized five yards. Hendricks made four. Foster broke up an attempted forward pass. A pass from Cawley to Leseur left one yard to go. Cawley made five, Hendricks losing seven yards. Bourne, in the place of Crossman, made three yards. Two forward passes failed. Nevens kicked to Cawley who ran 65 yards to the goal line, only to have the ball brought back to Bowdoin's 45-yard line where he had run off side. Hendricks and Selby made first down. By line plunges Colby made first down. Hendricks brought the ball to the eight-yard line and after a few gains by Cawley, Hendricks carried it over for the third score. Cawley kicked the goal.

Phillips kicked off to Cawley who returned the ball from the ten- to the 46-yard line. A punting duel followed, the ball finally coming to Bowdoin on her 24-yard line. Foster made the best gain for the White, running the ball for 42 yards. Stuart, substituting for Nevens, made no gain. After an incomplete forward, Leadbetter made five yards through the line. Stuart lost nine yards. An incomplete pass gave Colby the ball on her 40-yard line, the half ending. Score: Colby 20, Bowdoin 0.

## THIRD PERIOD

Stanwood kicked to Foster who returned it to the 25-yard line. Phillips and Foster in three rushes made first down. Leadbetter made two, and Foster followed with a gain of 12 yards. Stuart punted to the six-yard line, Leadbetter downing Cawley. Stuart made a fair catch of Stanwood's kick to the 25-yard line. Foster and Stuart brought the ball to the eight-yard line. Phillips stepped back for a fake drop-kick and Stuart shot a clever forward pass over the center of the line to Bradford for Bowdoin's only score. Leadbetter failed to kick the goal.

Stanwood kicked off to Bartlett. Stuart punted, Cawley being downed by Edwards who had replaced Oliver. Cawley made six yards. Edwards stopped Cawley. Hendricks made first down. The Colby backfield gained consistently, Cawley finally running 20 yards for another touchdown. Cawley kicked the goal. Phillips kicked off to Cawley who dodged back 24 yards.

Stanwood and Stuart exchanged punts, Bowdoin getting the ball on her 40-yard line. Stuart made 13 yards and a pass to Bradford netted 12 more. Crossman intercepted a pass on the 28-yard line. On a pass Cawley took the ball to Bowdoin's 33-yard line. The period soon ended with the ball on the 30-yard line. Score: Colby 27, Bowdoin 6.

## FOURTH PERIOD

Bowdoin was penalized five yards for being off-side. Cawley made four, being stopped by Leadbetter. Selby made two yards. Peacock knocked down a pass, the ball going to Bowdoin. Unable to gain, Nevens punted. Bowdoin was penalized five yards. Colby soon punted. Bradford made two yards. Nevens fumbled, losing 15 yards. An exchange of kicks followed. Nevens and Peacock made first down. Failing to gain Nevens punted to Cawley. Bowdoin held for downs, getting the ball on her 35-yard line. Unable to gain Nevens punted. Stanwood soon punted, Nevens returning it. Cawley caught the ball and ran 65 yards for the final score. Stanwood kicked the goal. Phillips kicked off to Hendricks. Colby soon punted and after short gains, Peacock ended the game with a 28-yard run through center to Colby's 43-yard line.

COLBY		BOWDOIN	
Leseur, l.	.....le,	Bradford	
Coolidge, lt.	.....lt,	Oliver	
Deasey, lg.	.....lg,	Moulton	
Stanwood, c.	.....c,	Stone	
Stinson, rg.	.....rg,	Brewster	
Heath, rt.	.....rt,	Leadbetter	
E. Perry, re.	.....re,	Beal	
Selby, qb.	.....qb,	Phillips	
Shuster, lhb.	.....lhb,	Nevens	
Crossman, rhb.	.....rhb,	Foster	
Cawley, fb.	.....fb,	Bartlett	

Score: Colby 34, Bowdoin 6. Touchdowns: Cawley 4, Hendricks 1, Bradford 1. Goals from touchdowns: Cawley 3, Stanwood 1. Referee, McGrath of Boston College. Umpire, Beebe of Yale. Head linesman, Macreadie of Portland. Time of periods, 15 minutes each.

Substitutions: Colby—Hendricks for Shuster, McCormick for Coolidge, O'Brien for Selby, Joyce for Stinson, Taylor for Crossman, Bourne for Taylor, Stinson for Joyce, Crossman for Bourne, Taft for Crossman. Bowdoin—Edwards for Oliver, Stuart for Nevens, Stewart for Brewster, Peacock for Bartlett, Wood for Beal, Nevens for Stuart, Dyar for Phillips.

## THE FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

All attempts to pick the Maine football champion meet with but one logical result. Colby has

the best team in the state. Bowdoin was completely outclassed at all points of the game. With her wonderful Cawley making first down time after time, Colby's machine succeeded in putting up an offense that effectually broke up Bowdoin's reputed strength of line. Our team is not unduly weak, however, although it may not be the strongest that we have ever had. But Colby's eleven is fast, hard playing and experienced.

At times Saturday Bowdoin showed ability to carry the ball to advantage. Nevens responded well to calls for wide end runs and Foster made good gains, on two or three occasions making long runs through the Colby line.

One great defect in the defense in the line was the manner in which Colby pushed back the entire Bowdoin line. The Colby line did not break through, followed by the backfield. Instead, each Colby man pushed his opponent back steadily, the backfield walking along behind, without need for scrimmage, for five or ten yards each down. A repetition of such weakness in Bowdoin's defense would mean a loss of the two remaining games in the state series.

The ends played well, aside from their failure to tackle Cawley when he was running back punts. Bradford's catch of the forward pass that scored the touchdown was a good one. He was surrounded by Colby men at the time, and was tackled the instant he caught the ball. Wood made some good tackles.

The team as a whole is in good condition. Several minor bruises resulted from the game, but nothing of a serious nature. This week will probably see hard work and a lot of it, with emphasis again placed on tackling. The team is progressing all the time and coaches and players are doing their best to strengthen the weak places. And Bowdoin will not meet another Cawley this year.

#### FRESHMEN WIN DUAL CROSS-COUNTRY

The Bowdoin Freshmen won the dual cross-country with Hebron Academy Friday afternoon, Oct. 22, by the score of 24 to 31. The following men were entered: for Bowdoin '19—G. B. Cole, H. B. Mosher, D. L. Noyes, P. S. Turner and F. C. Warren; for Hebron—R. E. Cleaves, H. D. Hodgkins, C. W. Libbey, M. J. Wing and L. Witham. A fair-sized crowd, accompanied by the college band, turned out to see the race. After running one lap around the track, the two teams left Whittier Field, Noyes leading. During the wait for the finish of the race, the students practiced their cheers and songs for the Colby game and watched football practice. Noyes and Turner were the first to appear at the finish, with the for-

mer leading slightly. During the home stretch of the hard-fought quarter mile around the track, however, Turner passed Noyes and won by a scant yard, in 31 minutes, 27 3-5 seconds, for the five and a quarter miles. The men finished in the following order: Turner '19, Noyes '19, Cleaves, Libbey, Mosher '19, Hodgkins, Warren '19, Witham, Cole '19 and Wing.

#### DANCE TO BEGIN AT 6.30

The committee in charge of the dance after the Maine game, Nov. 6, is making arrangements on a large scale and assures everyone of an unusually good time. The big innovation is the starting of the dance promptly at 6.30, owing to the necessity of stopping at midnight. By this arrangement the dance will be of the customary length. There will be exceptionally good music, all new pieces, by Lovell's fifteen-piece orchestra and the dance orders will be in the form of favors. The order will be posted soon. Tickets at two dollars per couple and 75 cents for luncheon, may be obtained from any member of the committee.

#### FOOTBALL RALLY

The football rally Friday evening was well attended and an unusually optimistic spirit was shown. Sayward '16 presided and Marston '17 led the cheering. Speeches were given by Professor Nixon, Colbath '17, Professor Langley, Alton Lewis '15 and Coach Smith. All expressed confidence that the team could and would beat Colby. Messages from the alumni associations of Bangor and Portland were read, showing that the alumni were watching the team and expecting it to put up a winning fight. The band furnished music and the rally closed with cheers and singing.

#### SPECIAL RATES TO LEWISTON

Manager Garland has arranged for excursion rates on the Maine Central to the Bates game at Lewiston, Oct. 30. Special cars for Bowdoin students will be attached to the regular trains. The round trip tickets to Lewiston will be fifty cents.

#### MASQUE AND GOWN TRIALS

The first trials for the Masque and Gown play, "Mrs. Dot," were held Thursday evening. There were thirty-five men out and competition was keen. The final trials will occur tonight (Tuesday) and all men who wish to compete must have learned the lines on their trial sheets. Manager Stride wishes to announce that no cuts have been made as yet and anyone who wishes may compete in the final trials.



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## Follow the Team

After the disastrous game with Colby it will take all the optimism and enthusiasm that Bowdoin supporters can muster, all their loyalty to the team and to the College, to enable them to accompany the team to a game with a team that last year defeated Bowdoin decisively. But they can do it and they will. However badly the team was beaten last Saturday, it need not feel that it will be fighting alone, that last Saturday's enthusiastic and steady support will be lessened one bit.

We do not attempt to explain the defeat. Bowdoin lost to a superior team. But we do say this: Bowdoin has a right to expect from its players a better brand of football than was offered last Saturday. All the carefully drilled rudiments of the game were seemingly forgotten as soon as the

game began. And we think we will see better football.

We must win the Bates game. The least we can do is to give the players the assurance that we are with them every minute. Follow the team!

## MORE MEN FOR THE BAND

The band is showing the results of its faithful practice and has added several new and popular selections to its repertoire. Although the outlook is good for a first-class organization this year, more players can be used to advantage. The band should be one of the most important activities supported by the student body and every man who can play an instrument should report at once to the leader, Haseltine '17.

## GLEE CLUB ELECTS LEADER

At a meeting of the Glee Club, Thursday noon, Woodman '16 was elected leader. Trials for all men who have not yet reported will be held this afternoon, at 5, in the Music Room.

## RESULTS IN TENNIS

The tennis tournament is not progressing as rapidly as desired. The management urges that all matches in the first and second rounds be completed immediately. The results last week are: first round, Little '17 defeated Winter '16, 6-0, 6-0; Mitchell '19 won from Bigelow '18, by default. In the second round, Sawyer '19 defeated Woodman '16, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3; Schlosberg '18 defeated Niven '16, 6-3, 6-8, 6-1; Farnham '18 defeated Carter '16, 6-2, 7-5; Mitchell '19 defeated Young '17, 6-3, 6-1; Little '17 defeated Cook '17, 6-3, 6-4; Sloggett '18 won over Doherty '19, by default. Sawyer '19 defeated Burleigh '19, 6-3, 6-4, in the third round.

## QUILL CONTRIBUTIONS

The *Quill* solicits contributions of all sorts,—stories, essays, poems, etc.

The attention of all, and particularly of the entering class, is called to the following communication, published in the *Quill* in an editorial, February, 1915:

*To the Editors of the Quill:—*

"The aim of the *Quill* is to furnish a medium of expression for the literary life of the college"—so the foreword reads—and yet I find comparatively few undergraduates contributing to its contents.

In the hope that a greater number will thereby be induced to write for the *Quill*, I offer two prizes of ten dollars each for the best prose and verse selections published during the year 1915.



Any undergraduate, not a member of the *Quill* Board, may compete for the prizes. They will be awarded on the judgment of the Professor of English literature.

Yours very sincerely,  
(Signed) EDGAR O. ACHORN.

#### GUESTS AT INITIATIONS

##### ALPHA DELTA PHI

Dr. F. H. Gerrish '66, J. E. Chapman '77, Professors W. A. Moody '82, C. C. Hutchins '83, M. P. Cram '04; D. C. White '05, P. F. Chapman '06, H. L. Childs '06, G. A. Bower '07, A. L. Robinson '08, C. O. Bower '09, A. H. Fiske '09, I. L. Rich '09, P. L. White '14, P. L. Card '15, R. M. Dunton '15, H. E. Verrill '15 and R. D. Burgess, Brown '12.

##### PSI UPSILON

L. A. Rogers '75, C. T. Hawes '76, F. R. Kimball '76, Hon. Barrett Potter '78, C. E. Sayward '84, E. W. Freeman '85, Professor Files '89, L. M. Fobes '92, G. E. Fogg '02, Dawes Brigham '08, F. L. Pennell '08, P. W. Meserve '11, O. T. Sanborn '11, C. F. Houghton *ex-'15*, E. S. Boardman *ex-'16*, Dr. C. T. Burnett, Amherst '95, L. K. Johnson, Minnesota '15 and F. E. Haines, Trinity '17.

##### DELTA KAPPA EPSILON

Dr. F. N. Whittier '85, L. A. Burleigh '91, Henry Nelson '91, C. P. Merrill '96, J. C. Minot '96, R. H. Stubbs '98, Dean K. C. M. Sills '01, H. L. Swett '01, R. K. Eaton '05, F. A. Burton '07, R. O. Brewster '09, Burleigh Martin '10, William Holt '12, E. C. Burleigh '13, G. O. Cummings '13, L. A. Dodge '13, H. H. Hall '13, F. W. McCargo '14, H. M. Chatto '15, F. W. Coxé '15 and J. A. Campbell, Colby '16.

##### THETA DELTA CHI

W. Perkins '80, L. Barton '84, F. J. C. Little '89, Professor Mitchell '90, Dr. C. F. Wright '91, Leon Walker '03, Leon Lippincott '10, J. A. Slocum '11 and R. S. Casper *ex-'18*.

##### ZETA PSI

A. J. Carter '70, H. Johnson '74, P. T. Pottle '00, E. S. Anhoine '02, L. A. Cousens '02, P. O. Coffin '03, H. J. Everett '04, T. A. Clarke '05, G. Hatch '06, O. W. Peterson '06, M. A. Webber '07, F. H. Burns '11, J. C. Oram '11, J. C. O'Neil '12, H. W. Hays '14, C. C. Morrison '15, L. N. Stetson '15 and E. W. Bacon *ex-'16*.

##### DELTA UPSILON

J. S. Stetson '97, J. E. Odiorne '98, W. E. Atwood '10, P. H. Douglas '13, J. A. Norton '13, C. O. Page '13, H. B. Walker '13, H. E. Allen '15, W. H. Farrar '15, C. T. Perkins '15, W. G. Tackaberry '15.

##### KAPPA SIGMA

J. E. Hicks '95, R. W. Smith '97, E. G. Barbour

'12, A. D. Weston '12, W. R. Spinney '13, G. P. Floyd '15, D. M. Mannix '15, M. C. Moulton '15, H. M. Somers *ex-'15*, E. H. Stowell *ex-'15*, C. R. Foster *ex-'17*, W. P. Bealer of M. I. T., E. S. Russell of M. A. C., Smith of U. of Vermont, Parnell of New Hampshire A. C., and Rodenbach of Dartmouth.

##### BETA THETA PI

H. D. Evans '01, G. R. Gardner '01, E. C. Pope '07, W. E. Roberts '07, N. S. Weston '08, D. F. Koughan '09, A. S. Pope '10, M. G. L. Bailey '11, E. E. Kern '11, G. H. Macomber '11, D. E. Gardner '13, F. T. Garland '14, R. R. Hughes, Brown '17, R. S. Haggard, Denison '11, F. W. Dodson, M. I. T. '17, L. O. Barrow, Maine '16, M. L. Hill, Maine '17, F. W. Stephens, Maine '17 and R. B. Coulter, Williams '18.

#### PAST SCORES WITH BATES

The game Saturday will be the twenty-third time that Bowdoin and Bates have met on the gridiron. Bowdoin has won thirteen games, lost eight, and tied one. Following are the scores:

1889.—Bowdoin, 62; Bates, 0.  
1890, 1891, 1892.—No games.  
1893.—Bowdoin, 54; Bates, 0.  
1894.—Bowdoin, 26; Bates, 0.  
1895.—Bowdoin, 22; Bates, 6.  
1896.—Bowdoin, 22; Bates, 0.  
1897.—Bates, 10; Bowdoin, 0.  
1898.—Bates, 6; Bowdoin, 0.  
1899.—Bowdoin, 16; Bates, 6.  
1900.—No game.  
1901.—Bates, 11; Bowdoin, 0.  
1902.—Bates, 16; Bowdoin, 0.  
1903.—Bowdoin, 11; Bates, 5.  
1904.—Bowdoin, 12; Bates, 6.  
1905.—Bowdoin, 6; Bates, 0.  
1906.—Bates, 6; Bowdoin, 0.  
1907.—Bowdoin, 6; Bates, 5.  
1908.—Bates, 5; Bowdoin, 0.  
1909.—Bowdoin, 6; Bates, 0.  
1910.—Bowdoin, 6; Bates, 6.  
1911.—Bowdoin, 11; Bates, 0.  
1912.—Bates, 7; Bowdoin, 6.  
1913.—Bowdoin, 10; Bates, 7.  
1914.—Bates, 27; Bowdoin, 0.

#### DR. WHITTIER'S REPORT

Dr. Frank N. Whittier, secretary and treasurer of the Association of New England Colleges for Conference on Athletics, has recently published a report of the eighth annual meeting, held at the new Boston City Club, May 21, 1915.

The following colleges and universities were represented: Amherst, Bates, Boston University,

Bowdoin, Brown, Colby, Connecticut Agricultural College, Dartmouth, Harvard, Holy Cross, Maine, Massachusetts Agricultural College, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, New Hampshire State College, Tufts, Wesleyan, Williams and Yale.

The topics of discussion at the meeting included: "The Undergraduate's Place in the Conduct of Intercollegiate Athletics," "Changes and Reforms in Basketball," "What if Anything is Being Done to Limit the Influence of the Baseball Coach During a Game," "What is Being Done to Limit the Pre-College Training in Football," "Economy in the Administration of Athletics."

The following officers were elected: Hon. W. F. Garcelon, Harvard, president; Professor H. D. Wild, Williams, vice-president; Dr. F. N. Whittier, Bowdoin, secretary-treasurer. The executive board of the association is composed of the officers and Dr. J. A. Rockwell, M. I. T., and Dr. Edgar Fauver of Wesleyan.

#### DISCUSSION IN ENGLISH 5

Thursday, the men taking English 5 discussed the new Bowdoin Union. The following phases of the subject were taken up: "The Faculty and the Union;" "Saturday Evenings at the Union;" "The Alumni and the Union;" "A Student Forum;" "A Grill Room."

#### BANGOR ALUMNI BANQUET

Forty-six Bowdoin alumni of Bangor and vicinity were present at a reunion and banquet held in the Penobscot Exchange Friday evening, Oct. 8. After the banquet, Dean Sills spoke to the graduates about various topics of interest. He told of several changes in the faculty, paid an earnest tribute to the late Dr. George T. Little, and discussed the athletic outlook, together with the present system of coaching.

The other speakers were Dr. Daniel A. Robinson '13, Donald F. Snow '01, Frederick W. Adams and Charles A. Flagg '94 of Bangor, Hon. John A. Peters '85 of Ellsworth and Walter V. Wentworth '86 of Great Works. As the meeting was purely social, no business was transacted.

Dr. M. C. Fernald, from Orono, a member of the class of 1861, was the oldest alumnus present.

#### PORTLAND ALUMNI MEET

The Portland alumni held an enthusiastic meeting, Thursday noon, about fifty attending the luncheon at the Falmouth. George F. Stetson '08 of Brunswick addressed the club on the football situation and urged a large attendance at the rally before the Maine game. It was voted to

amend the by-laws of the organization so as to admit the holders of honorary degrees from Bowdoin to membership. Charles H. Gilman '82 presided in the absence of Mayor Ingraham, the president of the club.

#### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Fifteen cabinet members were present at the Y. M. C. A. meeting held at the Kappa Sigma house Thursday evening, Oct. 7. The various committees reported, and ways and means for some of the activities of the year were discussed. In cooperation with the town churches the Y. M. C. A. has sent out to eighty Freshmen special invitations to attend the services held at their respective churches. The employment bureau reported that positions had been found for twenty-five men. A report of the membership committee showed that eighty per cent. of the Freshman class had joined the Bowdoin Y. M. C. A.

Special emphasis was placed on a discussion concerning "English for foreigners." Mr. Langley is to give this work special attention. He considers it important enough to take precedence over the college Bible class work. His reason for this is the fact that it is very difficult to secure upper classmen who are really competent to lead Bible class discussions. For the present the English classes are to be confined to men from the Cabot mills.

A discussion concerning the continuance of the support given Mr. Hiwale '09, in his work in India, resulted in the appointment of a special committee to investigate the following questions: (a) Under what conditions did Bowdoin assume his support? (b) To what extent are we responsible? (c) What results would follow should we discontinue this support? Concerning these three questions the sentiment of the cabinet was somewhat divided, but the general feeling seemed to tend toward aiding his work as heretofore.

Two deputations have been made, one to Augusta to plan the organization of a Y. M. C. A. at Cony High and the other to Westbrook to form a young men's class there.

J. G. Winter '16 was chosen delegate to the meeting of the executive council of the New England Collegiate Y. M. C. A., on Oct. 15.

Mr. Alfred L. Aiken will speak at Hubbard Hall, Nov. 16, on the Earning, Saving and Investing of Money. Mr. Aiken is the Governor of the Board of Directors of the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston. He is also the great-grandson of Jesse Appleton, a former president of Bowdoin. He is a fine speaker and it is hoped that

everyone will take advantage of the opportunity to hear him.

Thursday, Oct. 21, a meeting was called for students interested in teaching English to mill hands. About twenty-five were present and all showed interest and a willingness to take classes.

On the same evening a meeting was held of the French workingmen desirous of participating in the classes for the purpose of classifying the kind of work which will be expected from the teachers. The instruction for foreigners will not begin before the football season is over but until that time a number of preparatory classes for the instructors will be held.

This evening a meeting is called for a Freshman Social Committee, which is to take the place of the former Freshman Religious Committee. The object will be to organize and draw up a definite plan of work.

### Club and Council

The meeting of the Biology Club was held at the Deke house last Friday evening. In the absence of President Irving, Vice-President Barrett called the meeting to order.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Kinsey '16, president; Brewster '16, vice-president; Elliott '16, secretary and treasurer.

Mr. Meserve was elected an honorary member and the following new men elected: Cruff '16, Fraser '16, Grierson '16, Babcock '17, Cobb '17, Colbath '17, Fenning '17, Grant '17, Keene '17, Shumway '17, Swift '17, Webber '17, Wight '17, Young '17 and Needleman '18.

The next monthly meeting will be held at Dr. Copeland's residence.

The reading of the Masque and Gown play was held last Thursday evening, Oct. 14, in the Music Room by Mrs. Brown. The play selected was a farce in three acts, "Mrs. Dot," by W. S. Maugham, successfully produced in 1908 by Marie Tempest. It proved to be a very interesting and amusing comedy. The judges were composed of members of the faculty. The tryouts for the play will be held Thursday evening, Oct. 21, in Memorial Hall, at seven o'clock. Parts for the tryouts can be obtained from Manager Stride.

### The Other Colleges

At a meeting held in New York during the past summer, representatives from thirty-nine college newspapers in the United States and Canada, affiliated in the Associated College Newspaper Publishers, voted unanimously to bar liquor ad-

vertisements from their papers, and reaffirmed their regulation banning proprietary advertising.

The Palace of Education at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition rewarded the Massachusetts Agricultural College for its work in education.

Among the 1900 students registered at Massachusetts Institute of Technology are 42 Chinese, six Japanese, one Hindu and several Spanish and Portuguese students. Seventeen women have enrolled this year.

Fifteen hundred students of the University of Pennsylvania have signed petitions calling on Provost Smith and the board of trustees to reinstate Scott Nearing, assistant professor of economics in the Wharton School. Nearing was dropped last June for unexplained reasons and his reinstatement is now demanded by the student body. This is the first time in the history of the university that the general student body has taken issue with the provost and trustees.

### On the Campus

Springer '19 has left college.

The Chapel roof is receiving its annual coat of paint.

Rehearsals for the Mandolin Club will begin this week.

Chapman '17 is coaching the Brunswick High School football team.

Frank Smith '12, LaCasce '14 and Weintz *ex-'15* were on the campus last week.

The freight train for Waterville Friday evening had an unusually large number of passengers. The return trip was made in the legal way, for the most part.

The five-thirty train from Waterville last Saturday was stopped soon after starting while the local police assisted a rash Freshman from his perch on the back of the engine.

The number of candidates for the ORIENT Board this year surpasses all records. Twenty men have reported in all, the following in addition to the list previously printed: Davey, Decker, Fernald, Rollins and C. E. Stevens.

### CALENDAR

#### October

26. Interclass Cross-Country.  
Masque and Gown Trials.  
5.00. Glee Club Trials.
29. Rally in Memorial Hall.
30. Bates at Lewiston.

#### November

2. Freshman Warnings.
2. Interclass Track Meet.

## Resolution

ALPHA RHO OF KAPPA SIGMA.

Brunswick, Me., Oct. 17, 1915.

Alpha Rho of Kappa Sigma expresses its deepest regret at the loss of one of its charter members, Clarence Edgar Baker of Raymond, N. H., a member of the class of eighteen hundred and ninety-six. The chapter loses one who always had its welfare at heart and who has continually shown toward it a profound interest.

LOWELL A. ELLIOTT,

E. CARL MORAN, JR.,

*For the Chapter.*

## Alumni Department

'89.—Dr. Daniel Edward Owen is assistant professor of English at the University of Pennsylvania.

He received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from Pennsylvania in 1903, publishing in the same year his thesis, "The Sonnet Sequences to Earlier English Verse." Dr. Owen has been for a number of years, 1897-1915, Professor of Science at the William Penn Charter School in Philadelphia, and his thorough training in both liberal and scientific subjects will make his work of special interest to students in the scientific courses. Dr. Owen taught in Thornton Academy, Saco, Me., 1890-1897. He is the author of "Old Times in Saco," a monograph on the early history of Maine, occasional papers and magazine contributions. Since 1906 he has been a trustee of Thornton Academy, and he was a member of the Commission appointed by the College Entrance Examination Board to revise requirements in Physics. Subsequently he was examiner for the Board.

'99.—The marriage is announced of Capt. Roy L. Marston to Mary Eliza Emery at Skowhegan, Me., Oct. 17.

'05.—The engagement of Arthur S. Shorey to Miss Louise Gibbs of Bridgton is announced. Mr. Shorey, formerly of Bath, has been in the International Banking Company's offices in London, Hong Kong, Manila, and he is at present in Panama. He spent this summer at his home.

'08.—Murray C. Donnell of Houlton has enlisted in the English army and has been given an officer's commission. He is now at the concentration camp, Salisbury Plains, England.

'11.—William Folsom Merrill of Skowhegan and Miss Jeanette Lander of Bougham were married Monday, Oct. 12. Mr. Merrill is in partnership with his father and brother, in the law firm of Merrill & Merrill. The couple will reside at their home on Water Street, Skowhegan.

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## BOWDOIN COMES BACK

The Bowdoin eleven looked much more like a football team Saturday than the week before. Bates played hard and in the first half looked like the better team, but Bowdoin had no Cawley to stop and came back with a rush in the second half, the line showing real football at last. As a result of Colby's unexpected defeat by Maine, Bowdoin now has a chance to tie the championship.

Bowdoin's touchdown, the only score of the game, came in the last period. Captain Leadbetter was signalled for a tackle around play around right end and, helped by good interference by Bradford and Foster, got away for a 40 yard run to the five yard line. On the next play Bates' defense crumbled and Foster carried the ball over by a plunge through center. Phillips kicked the goal.

The game was close, neither team having many chances to score. Clean, fast playing characterized the work of both teams. Bates went through the whole game without being penalized once. Two penalties of five yards for off-side and two of two yards for calling time out more than three times in a period were the only ones inflicted on Bowdoin.

In the first period Bates seemed to have the jump on Bowdoin. Davis, Bates' fast quarterback, made a number of end runs netting from six to seventeen yards each. Fumbles when Bates seemed on the road to a touchdown stopped the only chances that the Garnet had to score. Davis was the best individual ground-gainer of the game, making in all about 130 yards by end runs and running back punts. Bates' open play failed to materialize, the Garnet losing ground on every attempt to use it. End runs and short line plunges gained ground for the home team.

In the last part of the game Bowdoin improved rapidly and overcame Bates' advantage of the first quarter. The Bowdoin line was back in its early season form, presenting a stonewall defense against most of the Bates line-plunges. The back field had the best offensive of the year. The tackling of the whole team had improved a hundred per cent. since the disastrous Colby game. Phillips at quarter again played a good, steady game. Twice his sure tackles stopped Davis after the rest of the team had been spilled by the

strong Bates' interference. Phillips made a pretty try for a field goal in the fourth quarter from the 40 yard line. With the wind against it the ball went straight and true, falling short by only a few yards. Bradford blocked the single attempt of Bates for a goal from the field. Peacock played a fast, strong game, gaining both on end runs and line plunges. Foster, fully recovered from his injuries, played the steady consistent game that he had played earlier in the season. Bradford's work at end was the best that has been shown in that position this year. Nevens, substituted for Peacock in the third quarter, played a fast, peppery game. Leadbetter was strong on the offense, a stonewall on the defense and kept up Bowdoin's end of the punting.

The teams were nearly even in punting, Leadbetter making a few more yards on his high, slow punts, than did Davis on his lower, faster ones. In line plunging Bowdoin had a distinct advantage, Foster and Peacock both making good gains through the line. Bates was only able to make a few yards at intervals. Davis of Bates gained the most ground by his end runs, although Peacock, Foster and Nevens together covered much more ground by this means than did the Bates team. Bowdoin was able to work the forward pass a few times for good gains during the second half. Bates' single successful pass netted only four yards.

## FIRST PERIOD

Phillips kicked off to J. Neville who ran the ball back 15 yards to the 35 yard line. Davis made 15 yards around left end. Peacock recovered A. Moulton's fumble. Peacock made 17 yards around left end and four through center. Foster lost four, a forward pass failed, Peacock and Foster could not gain the distance and the ball went to Bates on her 28 yard line. Bates lost nine yards on a fumble. Moulton made four through center, Davis nine around left end. Davis was forced to punt to Peacock. Peacock made three, Foster two, and Leadbetter punted to A. Moulton on the 20 yard line. Moulton made six, DeWever two and Moulton five for first down for Bates. Drew made two, DeWever lost one and Davis went around left end for 11 and around right end for 17, being downed by Phillips. DeWever made three, Drew did the same,

Moulton was unable to gain and his fumble on the next play was recovered by Drummond.

From Bowdoin's 20 yard line Peacock made four yards through center and Leadbetter punted to Davis. After a series of rushes in which Bates was unable to gain, Davis punted. Leadbetter returned the punt, gaining about five yards by the exchange. Bates was unable to gain by rushes or forward passes and Davis punted. Bowdoin was unable to gain and Leadbetter punted. The quarter ended with the ball in Bates' possession on Bowdoin's 45 yard line.

#### SECOND PERIOD

DeWever fumbled and Drummond recovered. Bowdoin fumbled, but Phillips recovered the ball with a five yard loss. Foster made three. Leadbetter punted over the goal line, giving Bates the ball on the 20 yard line. DeWever made nine yards and failed to gain on the next play. Bowdoin was penalized five yards for off-side. DeWever failed to gain. Davis made three yards. Moulton made three, Davis punted to the ten yard line. Peacock made a yard and Leadbetter punted to Davis on the 45 yard line. Davis made 14 yards around right end. Moulton failed to gain. DeWever made three yards through center. Davis made 18 yards around end. DeWever plunged through center for two yards, but Davis was unable to gain around either end.

Shattuck was sent in for Stonier and attempted a field goal, but the kick was blocked by Bradford and the ball recovered by Drummond. Bowdoin was here penalized two yards for taking out time for injured men more than three times in the period. After two short rushes by Peacock, Leadbetter kicked 40 yards to Davis who was dropped in his tracks by Bradford. Neither DeWever nor Davis could gain the distance and Davis punted over the goal line and a Bates man fell on the ball for a touchback. Leadbetter punted to Moulton on Bowdoin's 49 yard line. Moulton made five yards, DeWever one and Moulton four for a first down. DeWever made two line plunges for three and two yards. A "line split" formation failed to gain. Bartlett intercepted a forward pass from Davis and the half ended with the ball in Bowdoin's possession on her 35 yard line.

#### THIRD PERIOD

Davis kicked off to Edwards who had replaced Oliver at tackle. Edwards ran the ball back 12 yards to the 22 yard line. Foster and Peacock made short gains and Leadbetter punted to Moulton who ran the ball back 12 yards before he was downed by Peacock. DeWever and Drew made gains amounting to five yards. Davis went

around right end for six yards and first down. DeWever lost a yard on a fumble, Davis went around left end for seven yards and Drew lost a yard because of a poor pass. Davis punted 35 yards to Foster who ran the ball back 12 yards. Peacock fumbled but Edwards recovered the ball for a four yard gain. Foster made five, but Bowdoin was penalized five for off-side and Leadbetter punted, the punt going outside on the Bowdoin 26 yard line.

Davis made five yards around right end, but on the next play DeWever fumbled the ball on Bowdoin's 20 yard line. At this point Nevens was substituted for Peacock and made six yards around right end. Bartlett made three around left end, and Nevens made seven more in the same place. Bartlett again made three yards but Nevens was thrown back by Moulton for a loss of five yards. Leadbetter punted, the ball getting by Moulton and rolling to the two yard line where A. Moulton and Leadbetter both fell on it. The officials after a consultation decided the ball belonged to Bates.

Davis punted from behind the goal line to Foster on the Bates 32 yard line. Nevens made six yards around left end, one through center and then fumbled, the ball being recovered by Phillips. A forward pass from Nevens was intercepted by A. Moulton on the Bates 18 yard line. DeWever failed to gain and the period ended.

#### FOURTH PERIOD

Davis and Connors failed to gain and Davis punted to Nevens who ran the ball back 20 yards. Nevens lost ten on the next play. A forward pass was incomplete and then Bowdoin made nine yards by a pass, Nevens to Beal.

From the Bates 40 yard line Phillips attempted a field goal. The ball was accurately kicked, but was against the wind and fell a few yards short.

The ball went to Bates on the 20 yard line. Connors made two short gains. Drew could not break through the line and Davis kicked to Phillips who ran the ball back to the 48 yard line. Nevens made a successful pass to Beal, but the ball was brought back, both teams being off-side.

Foster made five through center. Leadbetter, aided by strong interference, made a tackle around run of 40 yards. Davis pulled him down on the five yard line and on the next play Foster carried the ball over the goal line for a touchdown and the only score of the game.

Leadbetter punted out to Foster on the 18 yard line and Phillips kicked the goal.

Phillips kicked off to DeWever who was downed on the 28 yard line. A forward pass was incomplete. Bates lost five yards on a lateral

pass. Davis failed to gain around right end and punted to Phillips who ran the ball back 15 yards to the middle of the field. Pettingill made six yards through the line and then fumbled to Murray. Davis was tackled by Leadbetter on a line-split fake pass for a loss of four yards. Connors made a yard. Bates made four yards on a pass. Davis to Connors. Davis punted to Phillips who ran the ball back 18 yards. Nevens made five through center, Pettingill lost three. Nevens broke through for a 28 yard run to the 35 yard line where he was tackled by Connors and the game ended.

BOWDOIN	BATES
Bradford, le.....le,	Murray
Oliver, lt.....lt,	W. Neville
B. Moulton, lg.....lg,	Stonier
Chase, c.....c,	Merrill
Stone, rg.....rg,	Adams
Leadbetter, rt.....rt,	Southey
Drummond, re.....re,	J. Neville
Phillips, qb.....qb,	Davis
Peacock, lhb.....lhb,	A. Moulton
Foster, rhb.....rhb,	Drew
Bartlett, fb.....fb,	DeWever

Umpire, Burke of Worcester Tech.; referee, Donnelly of Holy Cross; head linesman, Walsh of Georgetown; field judge, Ireland of Tufts. Touchdown, Foster; goal from touchdown, Phillips. Score: Bowdoin 7, Bates 0. Time of periods, 15 minutes.

Substitutions: Bowdoin—Edwards for Oliver, Nevens for Peacock, Pettingill for Foster, Dyar for Bartlett; Bates—Shattuck for Stonier, Connors for Drew, Connors for A. Moulton, Knight for Shattuck, Shattuck for Merrill, Small for Drew, Russell for Knight.

#### MAINE GAME PROSPECTS

There is just one cause for disappointment in the Bates game,—that the score was not larger. During the last few minutes of play, Bowdoin gained with great regularity and the game ended with the ball in Bowdoin's possession within striking distance of the Bates goal posts. At this point Quarterback Phillips showed good judgment in not calling for a drop kick on the last play. The additional three points would not have been of great account, while a blocked drop kick might have resulted in a tie contest.

One criticism that may be offered is the lack of interference that the Bowdoin backs give to each other. Time after time the man with the ball was forced to go his way alone and was tackled with small gain, when good interference would have meant first down.

Bartlett at half back played a good defensive game and on one occasion broke up a forward pass that seemed to be perfect.

The result of the Bates game offers encouragement for the Maine game next Saturday. The Maine game is the biggest game of the season, and means more for either team than any other game of the series. Through her victory over Colby Maine has the decided advantage from the viewpoint of the dopest. The only explanation that can be offered for Maine's apparently easy triumph over Colby is that Cawley, Colby's star fullback, the man who caused all the trouble for Bowdoin, was put out early in the game. Without him, Colby was at a big disadvantage.

It is known that Maine has a wonderful series of forward passes. Good work by the Bowdoin backs, however, can break up these passes.

The Maine ends are unusually fast in getting down the field under passes and punts. In Ruffner, Jones and Daley, Maine has three backs who have been consistent ground gainers, both through the line and around the ends. They succeeded in fathoming weak places in the Colby defense. Maine's chances depend upon them.

It may be that Bowdoin will uncover some trick formations this week. Thus far trick formations have been few and possibly Coach Campbell is saving them for the Maine game.

The game will surely be hard-fought. Even though beaten on paper, Bowdoin is not beaten on the field and will work her hardest to carry off a victory.

While Bowdoin and Maine are playing in Brunswick, Colby and Bates will be playing at Waterville. There seems little likelihood that Bates will be able to win, or even to score on Colby.

If Colby and Bowdoin win, Bowdoin, Colby and Maine will be tied for the championship. If Maine wins, she has won the title.

#### FIRST GLEE CLUB CUT

The number of candidates for the Glee Club shattered all previous records. Forty-eight men reported, including last year's members. The first cut was made Wednesday afternoon, the following men being retained: first basses, Fuller '16, Woodman '16 (leader), Biggers '17, Scott '18, Merrill '19; second basses, Merrill '16, Parmenter '16, Seward '17, Joyce '18, J. Thomas '18; first tenors, Burnham '16, Crosby '17, Chase '18, Hill '19, R. Turner '19; second tenors, Stuart '16, Haseltine '17, Piedra '17, Ross '17, Harrington '18, Woodman '18. These men will report this (Tuesday) afternoon at 5 o'clock for their first rehearsal.



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## The Maine Game

As the football team enters upon the final week of the state series, we feel that we have more than a ray of hope of defeating Maine. The team played far better in the Bates game than in the disastrous Colby game a week earlier, but even yet we think the team is capable of better football.

On paper, Maine is the victor. Bowdoin must fight every minute. In Jones, Maine has a wonderful ground gainer. Bowdoin must stop him. Maine has been unusually successful with forward passes. Bowdoin must break them up.

Bowdoin has not won from Maine since 1909. To rehearse the scores of years since then is painful. Let the players fight as never before. Let

the cheering section cheer as never before. We must beat Maine.

## For the Alumni

We hope that many alumni living in the vicinity of Brunswick will be present at the Bowdoin-Maine game next Saturday. The improvement of our team over last year is due not to new material, for there is not a single Freshman on the team, but to more experienced coaches, made possible by generous contributions of Bowdoin men. We hope that our alumni will not miss this chance of seeing the team in action.

## Reserved Books

To the casual reader of the ORIENT it may seem that we devote undue attention to football. But it must be remembered that football is the all-important matter at present. Even warnings are subordinate to that absorbing topic.

But at the climax of the football season, on the eve of the Maine game, we must issue our periodical plaint against the misuse of reserved books in the Library. The deliberate, if only temporary, pilfering of reserved books is so often repeated as to assume the nature of a capital crime. We hope that offenders will be drawn and quartered and their remains scattered to the four winds.

## FRESHMEN WIN INTERCLASS RACE

The interclass cross-country race, held Tuesday, was won by the Freshmen with 35 points, closely followed by the Sophomores with 38 points. The Seniors were third with 66 and the Juniors fourth with 71 points. The times of Turner and Irving, who finished first and second, were both ahead of the record made by Allen '18 last year. The first ten men to finish were reserved for the varsity cross-country team.

The men finished in the following order: Turner '19, L. Irving '16, Mosher '19, Wyman '18, Fillmore '17, Hamlin '18, Howard '18, Cole '19, Simonton '18, Warren '19, Hart '16, Hildreth '18, R. Irving '19, Owen '17, Jones '18, MacCormick '18, Bond '17, Perkins '19, Hodgkins '16.

The silver trophy cup, taken by the Freshmen, was won last year by 1918 and by 1917 the year before.

## CAST FOR "MRS. DOT" CHOSEN

The provisional cast for "Mrs. Dot," chosen last Tuesday evening, is as follows: Mrs. Dot, Corcoran '19; Freddie, Mooers '18; Aunt Eliza,



Cobb '17 or Fay '19; Rixon, Achorn '17; Gerald, Jacob '18; Blenkinsop, Newell '19; Lady Selleniger, Biggers '17; Nellie, Cobb '17 or Angus '19; Wright, Stride '17; Charles, Colter '18. These men were selected according to the merits of their work at the trial, and the competition was so keen that the cast was picked with the greatest difficulty by the judges, Professor Files, Professor Brown, Professor Bell, Professor Elliott and Mrs. Brown, the coach.

The following Freshmen have already reported as candidates for the assistant managership: Angus, L. Doherty, Newell and Rollins.

#### PAST SCORES WITH MAINE

The game Saturday will be the twentieth time Bowdoin has played Maine in football. Bowdoin has won ten games and Maine eight, that of 1910 being a tie. Bowdoin has scored 200 points against the 161 of Maine. The scores:

1893.—Bowdoin 12, Maine 10.
1894.—No game.
1895.—No game.
1896.—Bowdoin 12, Maine C.
1897.—No game.
1898.—Bowdoin 29, Maine 0.
1899.—Bowdoin 10, Maine 0.
1900.—Bowdoin 38, Maine 0.
1901.—Maine 22, Bowdoin 5.
1902.—Maine 11, Bowdoin 0.
1903.—Maine 16, Bowdoin 0.
1904.—Bowdoin 22, Maine 5.
1905.—Maine 18, Bowdoin 0.
1906.—Bowdoin 6, Maine 0.
1907.—Bowdoin 34, Maine 5.
1908.—Bowdoin 10, Maine 0.
1909.—Bowdoin 22, Maine 0.
1910.—Bowdoin 0, Maine 0.
1911.—Maine 15, Bowdoin 0.
1912.—Maine 17, Bowdoin 0.
1913.—Maine 9, Bowdoin 0.
1914.—Maine 27, Bowdoin 0.

#### COMPARATIVE WEIGHTS OF TEAMS

The *Portland Evening Express-Advertiser* has figured the average weights of the Maine football teams as follows:

Bowdoin—Line, 186; backfield, 157; average, 168.

Bates—Line, 171; backfield, 156; average, 163.

Colby—Line, 190; backfield, 165; average, 179.

Maine—Line, 176; backfield, 167; average, 169.

#### INTERCLASS MEET TODAY

The annual fall interclass track meet is to be held this afternoon. The list of events is as fol-

lows: 100 and 220 yard dashes; quarter, half and two mile runs; 120 high and 220 low hurdles; high jump, broad jump, and pole-vault.

#### STATE CROSS-COUNTRY FRIDAY

The annual cross-country run for the state championship will be held Friday at 3.30 over the course of the University of Maine at Orono. Although the teams have not been definitely announced, Maine's quintet, with Bell and Preti certain to place well, looks like an easy winner. Bowdoin's team will be made up, for the most part, of new men but they are certain to give Bates and Colby a hard fight for second place.

The team will be finally selected after trials to be held this afternoon in which the following members of the squad will compete: Irving '16, Fillmore '17, Hamlin '18, Hildreth '18, Howard '18, Wyman '18, Cole '19, Mosher '19 and Turner '19. Trainer Magee and the team will leave for Orono Thursday afternoon so that the runners may go over the course Friday morning.

#### ANNIE TALBOT COLE LECTURES

The Annie Talbot Cole lectures will be delivered by Professor Felix E. Schelling, Ph.D., of the University of Pennsylvania, on Monday, November 8, and Monday, November 15.

The subjects are as follows: First lecture, "Some recent discoveries concerning Shakespeare;" second lecture, "The competitors of Shakespeare."

#### REPORT OF TREASURER A. S. B. C.

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Respectfully submitted,

MANTON COPELAND,

June 25, 1915.

*Treasurer.*

I have examined the books and accounts of the A. S. B. C. and find them accurately kept and properly vouched. The foregoing is a correct summary of receipts and disbursements.

BARRETT POTTER,

June 28, 1915.

*Auditor.*

## GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION

### OF STUDENTS

The office has compiled statistics as to the geographical distribution of students as follows:

Maine .....	276
Massachusetts .....	74
New York .....	10
New Hampshire .....	9
Rhode Island .....	6
Indiana .....	5
Connecticut .....	5
New Jersey .....	3
Wisconsin .....	2
Washington .....	2
District of Columbia .....	2
Pennsylvania .....	2
Missouri .....	1
Colorado .....	1
South Dakota .....	1
Iowa .....	1
Idaho .....	1
England .....	1

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Percentage from Maine, .68.

Percentage from outside, .32.

## The Other Colleges

The Freshman class entering Princeton this fall is the smallest in three years. Unusual conditions brought about by the European war are blamed for the decrease.

The Harvard delegation to the summer military camp at Plattsburg, N. Y., was larger than that from any other institution. Out of a total of 612 college men, 84 were Harvard undergraduates, and in the business men's section which totalled 1300, nearly one-third were Harvard graduates.

Student classes in athletic sports have been organized at Columbia University for the first time. This is said to be an innovation for eastern colleges. Teams in track athletics, football, swimming, water polo, rowing, soccer, boxing, handball and baseball will be formed, and lawn tennis will be taught. Membership in these classes will

be optional, and those electing to take athletic lessons will be required to join at least three of the classes in succession. It is the plan of the athletic inspectors at Columbia to give the students a general athletic training without making it necessary for the student to report for a varsity team. The teams will not take part in any contest with other colleges. Those students who pass the examinations in athletics at the conclusion of the term will receive two points toward their degree.

President Hibben of Princeton University, not merely in his official capacity but as an alumnus, appealed to graduates to discontinue the free serving of beer in the reunion tents at commencement time. He is convinced that the fair name and honor of Princeton are at stake.

"Yale, when a century and a quarter old, held less than \$20,000 of permanent funds, and had an annual budget of only about the same size. Indeed, it has been estimated that the united productive endowment of all the colleges in the land in 1800 was less than \$500,000. And as to students, Princeton a century old had but 232; Columbia at the same time, 179; Pennsylvania, only 120; after 150 years, Yale had enlarged to hold its 386 undergraduates; but Harvard after two centuries had but 236. In 1850, not an American college had more than 400 students. . . . Though the population has increased only three-fold in sixty years, the number of college students has increased forty-fold. . . . In 1904, only one-fifth of the students were in colleges of less than 400; and half in colleges of more than 1000. . . . The World Almanac for 1915 lists 82 state and independent universities and colleges, 260 denominational, and 143 non-sectarian; a total of 485. . . . More than 50% of the graduates of Yale and Harvard during their first fifty years went into the ministry."—Address of Pres. Herbert Welch, Ohio Wesleyan University.

The advantages which the small college possesses over the university are described in an article which former Senator Root has written for the year book published at Hamilton, his Alma Mater.

As a means of promoting college democracy and solving the self-help problem, Princeton is to try the experiment of having student waiters in its university dining rooms. Ninety undergraduates will be taken care of in this way.

The agreement which was made last year between twenty-one Harvard clubs and fraternities in regard to "rushing" new students will be adhered to this fall. No member of any of these clubs is permitted to canvass any undergraduate

before the opening of college in his sophomore year. By "canvassing" is meant making to any undergraduate a statement about any club, or notifying him directly or indirectly that he is under consideration as a future member of any club. No pledge or promise is to be accepted from any undergraduate before Oct. 22 this year, nor from any who is not at least in his sophomore year. The agreement has been brought about by the new freshman dormitories and the changes ensuing in several phases of undergraduate life.

Thirty Chinese students have enrolled in various departments at Oberlin College for the college year.

The students' association of Amherst has put in force a graded system of dues for the support of athletics of the college. For the current year these dues will vary for individual students from \$5 to \$16, being graded according to the amount of room-rent paid by freshmen and the amount of self support of upper classmen. Hitherto students have paid the uniform rate of \$10 for the athletic season.

Princeton, Dartmouth, Yale, Harvard and Cornell have formed an Intercollegiate Trapshooting Association. The purpose of the organization is to "regulate intercollegiate trapshooting competition and increase interest in trapshooting as a college sport." An intercollegiate championship shoot will be held at Dartmouth this fall.

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### Art Building Notes

A very interesting addition to the art treasures of the college is a prehistoric water jar from Northern Arizona, lent by F. J. C. Little, Esq., Bowdoin '89, of Augusta, Maine.

This rare vase, practically in perfect condition, is about sixteen inches high and fourteen inches in diameter. The color is a bluish gray with the darker decoration in the familiar zig-zag pattern remarkably preserved.

This recent acquisition has been conspicuously placed in the Boyd Gallery of the Walker Art Building.

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### The Library Table

The Library has recently received a gift of about ninety volumes bearing upon polar exploration. These books were presented by the Explorers' Club, of New York, in honor of Rear Admiral Peary '77, "as a slight memorial to the suc-

cess of a distinguished alumnus." Among these are books by Nansen, Amundsen and many older explorers. There are also in the collection several of Admiral Peary's own books. In his letter of presentation, Vice-President Saville, after stating that the club desires and expects to add to this collection from time to time, writes: "It has been suggested that it might be known as the Peary Collection or the Library of Polar Exploration, as might be agreeable to the college authorities."

Kate Douglas Wiggin, Litt.D., (Bowdoin), has recently presented to the Library her two latest books, "Bluebeard" and "Penelope's Postscripts." She has also given "Princess Mary's Gift Book" which includes the story "Fleur-de-Lys" by Mrs. Wiggin. These three books will be placed in the Alumni Room among the rest of her works, which she has presented to the Library.

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### With the Faculty

Professor Woodruff preached at the Old South Church at Hallowell, Sunday, Oct. 24.

Judge L. A. Emery, a member of the examining committee of the Trustees, visited the college last week.

Mr. Langley spoke at a banquet of the Cony High School Y. M. C. A. Friday, Oct. 7. His subject was "Clean Life."

At a recent meeting of the Brunswick chapter, American Red Cross, Dean Sills was elected chairman of the chapter and Professor Cram, vice-chairman.

Dean Sills is the delegate from the Diocese of Maine at the Synod of the New England Episcopal churches, held at Concord, New Hampshire, October 26 and 27.

Professors Files and Mitchell spoke at a reunion of Bowdoin men held in connection with the Maine Teachers' Association convention at Bangor last Thursday evening.

Dr. Burnett and Dean Sills attended the banquet at the Falmouth Hotel, Portland, Oct. 24, at which Major General Wood, U.S.A., was the guest of honor and principal speaker.

Professor George T. Files has been named by the Portland Chamber of Commerce as a member of the committee to conduct a campaign to have an aeroplane station established in Casco Bay.

At the annual session of the Maine State Library Association, held in Bangor last Wednesday, Charles A. Flagg, president of the association, in the course of his opening address said,

"The event that stands out most prominently is the loss of our leader, counselor and friend, Professor George T. Little, of Bowdoin, and a part of the afternoon session will be devoted to consideration of his services." Professor W. H. Hartshorn of Bates, chairman of the Maine Library Commission, opened the afternoon session with an address on the life and services of Dr. Little.

Bowdoin was as usual well represented at the annual meeting of the Maine Teachers' Association in Bangor last Thursday and Friday. At the opening session Thursday morning Professor Hormell addressed the convention on "Practical Civics for Secondary Schools." Professor Mitchell spoke before the evening session of the convention on "The Influence of the Public School in Teaching Patriotism." At the departmental session on Friday Professor Nixon was chairman of the department of classics and Professor Hormell, of the department of history. During the day Professor Files read a report of the Twelfth Annual Meeting of the New England Modern Language Association and Professor Johnson spoke on "The Classics and Modern Literature."

### On the Campus

Hawes '16 is in Cambridge with a broken ankle.

Kuhn '15 and Powers *ex-'16* were on the campus last week.

Bancroft *ex-'16* is recovering from an attack of appendicitis.

Warnings for first year men were issued at the Faculty meeting yesterday afternoon.

Band candidates were many last Saturday. No longer can the manager say, "Lack of material."

At a meeting of the Junior class held Oct. 25, Humphrey was elected to the position of treasurer, left vacant by the resignation of Blanchard.

The examination for student assistants in the College Library was held in the office of the Librarian Thursday afternoon. Nineteen applications were filed, from which number two are to be chosen.

### CALENDAR

November

2. Interclass Track Meet.
5. M.I.C.A.A. Cross-Country Race at Orono.
- Football Rally.
- Zeta Psi—Alpha Delta Phi Joint Dance.
6. Maine at Brunswick.
- Football Dance in Gymnasium.

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## MAINE WINS FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

In one of the hardest fought games in recent years in Maine football, the University of Maine won from Bowdoin last Saturday afternoon on Whittier Field by the score of 23 to 13, incidentally gaining a clear title to the football championship of the state. The victor's superiority lay in the clever use of the forward pass, the White proving her equal in every other department of the game. Bowdoin's high score was somewhat of a surprise and credit for this is to be given to Stuart, who by his alertness and heady playing made one touchdown by a 55 yard run and paved the way for the other with a 79 yard run. Every Bowdoin player fought hard and although several had to be carried from the field, their substitutes played equally as well.

Maine excelled in the forward pass department but her famed shift plays proved of no use, for the Bowdoin forwards, led by Captain Leadbetter, quickly fathomed them and often threw the runner for a loss. Bowdoin's line played a strong game, Maine's line-plunging backs finding it a difficult proposition. On the other hand the White players opened up good holes for their backfield. Bowdoin resorted mainly to straight rushes, her few attempts at forward passes failing. Stuart, Nevens and Peacock time after time penetrated the Maine line for big gains. Phillips again ran the team in a fine manner and although called upon only a few times to get the man, he made sure tackles. Bowdoin was unusually unfortunate in the number of severe injuries, while Maine escaped with only a few slight ones.

Maine's first score came in the first quarter when by the use of the shift play and a few rushes Maine worked the ball to Bowdoin's 17 yard line. From here Jones, Maine's star back, shot the ball over to Purington on the other side of the line. The goal was not kicked.

In the second quarter through the efforts of Jones the ball was Maine's on her opponent's three yard line. From here he skirted around left end for the second score and Ruffner kicked the goal. But Bowdoin's opposition became stronger and it was not until that team had scored six points that Maine made her last touchdown. By clever forward passes Maine brought the ball to the 15 yard line. Here Jones's arm once

more did the trick, and passed the forward to Purington. The latter fell down but Phillips in trying to knock down the pass sent the ball into his hands.

In the last quarter Maine, by recovering a fumble, came into possession of the ball on Bowdoin's 17 yard line. Failing to gain, Ruffner dropped the ball between the uprights.

## BOWDOIN SCORES

Bowdoin's first score came at the beginning of the fourth quarter. Maine was attempting the forward pass quite successfully. Then Stuart intercepted one and dodged past the Maine tacklers, being caught by Higgins on the two yard line. Peacock in straight rushes carried the ball across.

A few minutes later Stuart again by means of a long run added a few points to Bowdoin's score. Higgins fumbled and Stuart, picking up the ball, sprinted 55 yards for a touchdown. Phillips kicked the goal.

The game was hard fought, sensational, and interesting. Maine was superior at the passing game, Bowdoin at the punting, and both teams were about even on the plunging attack. For Bowdoin, Captain Leadbetter, Moulton and Brewster were strong on the defense and Stuart, Nevens and Peacock on the attack. Jones and Captain Ruffner were Maine's strongest players.

## FIRST QUARTER

Bowdoin received. Gorham kicked off to Wood on Bowdoin's 30 yard line. Foster made five through center. Foster made three. Peacock made no gain. Leadbetter kicked 25 yards to Ruffner. Jones made six. Daley made two around left end, being tackled by Foster. Wood was carried off the field, Beal going in for him. Jones made no gain. Ruffner kicked and Phillips recovered the fumble. Peacock made no gain. Leadbetter lost four. Leadbetter kicked 40 yards to Daley on Maine's 30 yard line. Ruffner made no gain. Jones made four. Ruffner kicked to Bowdoin's 40 yard line. Peacock plunged six yards. Peacock added two. Phillips made one. Peacock made only half a yard, Maine receiving the ball on Bowdoin's 48 yard line. Daley rushed five yards. Jones made first down. Maine worked the shift, Daley passing to Jones who plunged through. Bartlett was carried off the field, Pettigill taking his place. Maine worked the shift

again, Jones being tackled by Phillips on Bowdoin's 17 yard line. The shift play failed, Leadbetter getting Jones for no gain. Gorham made three yards. Ruffner made no gain. Jones shot a forward pass to Beverly who was waiting behind the goal line. The kick-out failed.

Phillips kicked off to Hussey who carried the ball to Maine's 25 yard line. Gorham made five yards around left end, being tackled by Leadbetter. Jones made three and a half yards. On the shift Jones fumbled but Allen recovered. Ruffner kicked 25 yards, Phillips running the ball back four. Peacock made nine yards. Peacock rushed two yards for first down. On a bad pass Bowdoin lost six. A forward pass was intercepted by Gorham on Maine's 34 yard line. Ruffner made two, Reardon went five and Jones one. Ruffner punted, Phillips making a fair catch on Bowdoin's 33 yard line. Peacock made four. Foster made no gain. The quarter ended with it Bowdoin's ball on her 36 yard line. Score: Maine 6, Bowdoin 0.

#### SECOND QUARTER

A fumble due to a bad pass was recovered by Leadbetter for a six yard loss. Leadbetter punted to Jones who ran the ball back 38 yards to Bowdoin's 28 yard line. Ruffner made four but Maine was penalized five yards. Peacock was forced to retire, Stuart taking his place. Bowdoin was penalized five yards. Daley, taking the ball over Jones's shoulder, skirted the end for six yards. Jones placed the ball on the three yard line and after he failed to gain, Ruffner took it to the two yard line. Jones then going around left end for a score. Ruffner kicked the goal.

Phillips kicked to Jones who, after running 20 yards, was downed on the 30 yard line. Ruffner kicked 30 yards. Gorham intercepted a forward pass. Reardon made two and Daley went 20 yards before he was tackled by Stuart. Gorham made three and Maine was penalized 15 yards. Chase had to be taken out and Brewster substituted. Ruffner made no gain. A fake kick and forward pass formation netted no gain. Foster was injured and Nevens went in for him. It was Bowdoin's ball on her 25 yard line. Nevens made five yards and then kicked 29 yards to Maine's 40 yard line. On a wing shift Kriger made three. Maine was penalized 15 yards, so Ruffner punted 34 yards, the ball going outside on Bowdoin's 41 yard line. Then Bowdoin showed a burst of offensive work. In two rushes Nevens made nine yards and Stuart made first down with a two yard gain. Stuart made six, Nevens one, and Stuart five yards and first down. Stuart and Nevens in two rushes made 11 yards. Stuart and

Nevens had only made eight yards in four rushes when the half ended. Score: Maine 13, Bowdoin 0.

#### THIRD QUARTER

Phillips kicked off to Ruffner who was downed on Maine's 28 yard line. Gorham failed to gain and Daley lost two. Ruffner punted and as it was rolling outside Bradford fumbled it, Maine recovering the ball on her 34 yard line. Daley made eight around left end. Two forward passes failed and Ruffner punted to Phillips who ran back seven yards to his 32 yard line. Stuart made one-half yard and Nevens three, Leadbetter failing to gain. Nevens punted to Daley who was tackled by Leadbetter on Maine's 48 yard line. Nevens tackled Jones for no gain. In breaking up a forward pass Nevens was badly injured, a doctor being called. Dyar took his place. Jones made three and Ruffner five yards. A forward pass and a rush by Ruffner failed. Ruffner punted to Dyar who made a fair catch on Bowdoin's 35 yard line. Dyar made two but Stuart lost one. Leadbetter punted 48 yards, Daley returning the ball to the 40 yard line. Ruffner ploughed through the line for 35 yards, Phillips getting him. Daley made four, Gorham following with three yards. Jones made two but Moulton captured a fumble on Bowdoin's 27 yard line. Stuart failed to gain but Phillips made four yards. Stuart punted outside on Maine's 35 yard line. On the shift play Moulton stopped Jones. On a forward pass which looked as if it hit the ground Maine made 31 yards. Higgins for Daley failed to gain while Ruffner only made two. Ruffner punted 24 yards, Phillips making a fair catch on Bowdoin's 15 yard line. Dyar made seven and Stuart five. Dyar and Stuart both made one yard, the quarter ending with it Bowdoin's ball on her 29 yard line. Score: Maine 13, Bowdoin 0.

#### FOURTH QUARTER

Leadbetter punted, Higgins running back ten yards to Maine's 33 yard line. Gorham made seven, but Leadbetter tackled Higgins for a one yard loss. A pass, Jones to Purington, added ten. Gorham failed to gain and then Stuart pulled his first spectacular play by intercepting a forward pass and, dodging the Maine tacklers, sprinted 79 yards to the two yard line where Higgins caught him. Bowdoin was penalized five yards and then Peacock in three rushes of five, three and one yards each carried the ball across. Phillips barely missed the goal.

Ruffner kicked off to Bowdoin and Bowdoin lost the ball by failing to cover it. Ruffner made two and Gorham three but Leadbetter tackled

Jones for a seven yard loss. Phillips made a fair catch on the five yard line. Leadbetter punted to Bowdoin's 35 yard line. Pettingill tackled Gorham for a two yard loss and Stuart did the same to Jones who lost seven yards. A pass to Kriger made seven yards and the ball rested on Bowdoin's 15 yard line. Jones shot a forward pass. Phillips, in trying to intercept it, knocked it into Purington's arms. Ruffner kicked the goal.

Stuart kicked off to Higgins who placed the ball on the 29 yard line. Ruffner in two rushes added eight yards and Higgins one yard. Once more Stuart was the man of the moment, picking up Higgins's fumble and running 55 yards for the second score. Phillips kicked the goal. Ruffner kicked to Stuart who ran back 20 yards. Purington recovered Phillips's fumble on Bowdoin's 17 yard line. Ruffner and Higgins in three rushes lost a yard and Ruffner then drop-kicked the goal from the 18 yard line.

Ruffner kicked off to Peacock who ran back the ball 33 yards. Kriger intercepted a forward pass and Moulton being injured, Kern went in. Kriger made seven yards and the game ended.

The summary:

MAINE	BOWDOIN
Beverly, le.....le,	Bradford
Greeley, lt.....lt,	Edwards
Hussey, lg.....lg,	Moulton
Green, c.....c,	Chase
Allen, rg.....rg,	Stone
Reardon, rt.....rt,	Leadbetter
Purington, re.....re,	Wood
Daley, qb.....qb,	Phillips
Ruffner, lhb.....lhb,	Foster
Gorham, rhb.....rhb,	Peacock
Jones, fb.....fb,	Bartlett

Referee, Thomas F. Murphy, Harvard. Umpire, Hugh C. McGrath, Boston College. Head linesman, Charles C. McCarthy, Georgetown. Field judge, Thomas H. Kelley, Portland Athletic Club. Time of periods, 15 minutes each.

Maine scoring: Touchdowns, Beverly, Jones, Purington. Goals from touchdowns, Ruffner 2. Goal from field, Ruffner.

Bowdoin scoring: Touchdowns, Peacock, Stuart. Goal from touchdowns, Phillips.

Substitutions: Maine—Moulton for Hussey, Purington for Allen, Kriger for Gorham, Hussey for Moulton, Gorham for Kriger, Harvey for Jones, Davis for Hussey, Kriger for Harvey. Bowdoin—Beal for Wood, Brewster for Stone, Stone for Chase, Nevens for Foster, Dyar for Nevens, Stuart for Peacock, Pettingill for Bartlett, Peacock for Dyar, Chase for Stone, Drummond for Beal, Stanley for Drummond, Oliver

for Edwards, Pike for Stanley, Kern for Moulton.

### TUFTS GAME IN PORTLAND

No definite announcements have been made as yet regarding arrangements for the Tufts game, but there will be reduced rates on the railroads from all points. Tickets will go on sale, either Wednesday or Thursday, for the grandstand and bleachers, probably at 75 cents each.

### MAINE GAME RALLY

The most spirited football rally of the year was held in Memorial Hall last Friday evening, with a large attendance and an enthusiastic audience. Fuller '16 presided and called upon the following speakers: Shumway '17, Dr. Whittier, C. T. Hawes '76, Captain Leadbetter, Coach Campbell and John Clifford '10. The band furnished music, and apples and cigarettes were served in plenty. The rally ended with cheering practice with Pirnie '18 as leader.

### SOPHOMORES LEAD IN CLASS MEET

The annual fall inter-class track meet has been in progress the past week. Although the first events took place on Tuesday, wet weather and early darkness have so interfered that only nine of the fourteen events had been run off by Saturday. The score so far shows the Sophomores in the lead, with the Juniors second, and the Freshmen and Seniors a poor third and fourth respectively. The following are the events and winners:

100 Yard Dash—First, Pirnie '18; second, Simonton '18; third, Barton '19.

440 Yard Dash—First, Savage '18; second, Pirnie '18; third, Simonton '18.

220 Yard Dash—First, Pirnie '18; second, Hurlin '18; third, Hodgkins '16.

880 Yard Dash—First, Crosby '17; second, Noyes '19; third, Simonton '18.

Two-Mile Run—First, Turner '19; second, Irving '16; third, Mosher '19.

High Jump—First, White '17; second, tie between Hall '16 and Keene '17; third, Perkins '19.

Discus Throw—First, Colbath '17; second, Hall '16; third, Vance '19.

Pole Vault—First, Sampson '17; second, tie between Ripley '18 and Leighton '19.

Shot Put—First, Colbath '17; second, Murch '18; third, Newell '19.

The score in points by classes for the above events is: Sophomores, 31; Juniors, 27; Freshmen, 14; Seniors, 9.



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### To the Football Team

The Maine championship series has been completed. Our team has not been a champion, composed of individual stars, but a well-knit, hard-fighting organization that has given its best. From the first of the season up to the Maine game improvement has been steady. The Maine game, played against heavy odds, should be a cause of pride rather than shame. All honor to the players and their coaches!

### Ventilation of the Chapel

It is more often the lot of the editorial writer to complain of lack of heat in college buildings than to suffer under its superabundance. We admit that cold draughts sweep through the labora-

tories and recitation buildings, that the dormitories are often chilly, and that the burner of midnight oil is often obliged to seek protection of bed clothes against marrow-freezing cold. All this we admit freely. But why should Sunday chapel be marred by a heat that is deadly in its somniferous strength? Reasonable ventilation of the chapel would make the exercises far more appreciable to most students.

### The Football Dance Again

In a recent issue the ORIENT opposed, for various reasons, a football dance after the Maine game. Another cause for postponement of the dance until Christmas or Thanksgiving another year was presented at the game. The cheering was the poorest we have had this season. It is impossible for men who have guests to sit in the cheering section and join in the cheering.

### MAINE WINS CROSS-COUNTRY

The cross-country championship held at Orono Friday resulted in the expected win for Maine with 19 points, her men taking the first four places. Bates was second with 42 points and Bowdoin and Colby were tied for third with 74 points. The time of 32 minutes flat made by Bell of Maine for the even five miles was good considering the combination of mud, rain and wind which hindered the runners. Bowdoin's hopes for second place were lost when Turner '19 was taken ill about three miles out on the course and had to be carried into Orono where he was attended by a physician. Captain Irving was the first man for Bowdoin, finishing in tenth place.

The summary, including only the men who figured in the scoring, is as follows:

1, Bell, Maine, 32; 2, Preti, Maine, 32:18; 3, Dempsey, Maine, 32:56; 4, Wunderlick, Maine, 34:13 2-5; 7, Doe, Bates, 34:18; 8, Thompson, Colby, 34:30; 9, Hysom, Maine, 34:37; 10, L. Irving, Bowdoin, 34:58; 11, Smith, Bates, 35:20; 12, Wood, Colby, 35:25; 13, DeWolf, Bates, 35:40; 14, Fillmore, Bowdoin, 35:40 1-5; 15, Howard, Bowdoin, 35:40 2-5; 16, Mosher, Bowdoin, 36:26; 17, Piebes, Colby, 36:52; 18, Libby, Colby, 37:05; 19, Maddox, Colby, 37:08; 20, Wyman, Bowdoin, 38:04.

The officials in charge of the race were: Starter, Dr. Robert J. Aley; referee, Professor G. W. Stephens of Maine; clerk of course, I. C. MacDonald, U. of M. '16; judges at the finish, G. F. Parmenter of Colby, F. E. Pomeroy of Bates, M. A. Gould of Bowdoin and Leon S. Merrill of U. of M.; assistant clerks of course, J. H. Gray '18, C. A. Hartberg '18, John H. Magee; scorers, F.



Owen Stephens '17, W. E. Nash '17, W. B. Littlefield '17; announcer, J. A. McCusker '17; inspector along the course, O. C. Lawry '16, W. Webber '16, M. C. Driscoll '16, J. J. Donegan, B. E. Barrett '16, L. O. Barrowes '16, F. H. Curtis '16, J. T. Leacock, P. E. Chadbourne '17, L. E. Philbrook '16, L. E. Tolman '16, C. A. Rice '17, R. Richardson '16, J. A. Gannett; timers, Professor E. R. Wingard, Hosea Buck and Professor Barrows of Orono.

#### FOOTBALL DANCE WELL ATTENDED

Over a hundred couples enjoyed the dance after the Maine game, Saturday evening. The Gymnasium was attractively decorated with black and white streamers strung from the ceiling to the sides of the room. The dance orders were in booklet form, the lady's being suitable for a card and photograph case, with Bowdoin 1915 and a representation of a football stamped on the cover.

The patronesses were Mrs. Charles C. Hutchins, Mrs. Frank N. Whittier, Mrs. George T. Files, Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell, Mrs. Charles T. Burnett, Mrs. Roscoe J. Ham, Mrs. Frederic W. Brown, Mrs. Manton Copeland, Mrs. William H. Davis, Mrs. Gerald G. Wilder, Mrs. Alfred O. Gross and Mrs. Lee D. McClean.

The committee in charge of the dance was composed of Fuller '16, chairman, Dunn '16, Marston '17, Pendleton '18 and Atwood '19. Music was furnished by Lovell's orchestra. Given of Brunswick catered.

Among the young ladies present were Misses Elizabeth Hall, Eleanor Williamson, Hazel Leard, Elouise Danforth, Laura Goding, Ruth Johnson, Helene Fenderson, Marie Fogg, Marie Hieber, Ruth Morrill, Marion Fogg, Elizabeth Curtis, Cornelia Danforth, Dorothy Reynolds, Gertrude Albion, Helen Johnson, Alberta Robinson, Marion Alexander, Lucy Dean, Flora Somers, Irene Woodbury and Ida Wotton of Portland; Helen Baxter, Helen Mitchell, Lucia Alford, Ruth Lovell, Ruth Nearing, Marguerite Strout, Isabel Palmer, Mary Elliott, Sadie Harrington, Helene Blackwell, Helen Harrington and Clare Ridley of Brunswick; Pauline Hatch, Edith Hodgkins, Della Merrill, Leonice Morse and Priscilla Kimball of Bath; Dorothy Bird, Marion McLoon, Ida Wotton and Alice Simmons of Rockland; Elouise Huskins, Gladys Pennell, Mildred Tinker, Marguerite Currier, Grace Downing, Helen Freeman, Verna Soule, Dorothy Paul, Ada Haskell and Mary Belt of Auburn; Catherine Clifford, Florence Farrington of Lewiston; Margaret Hutchinson, Maybelle Haines, Grace Murphy and Marguerite Roberts of Dexter;

Dorothy Drake of Pittsfield, Ruth Crane of Orono, Lucy Jacobs of Thomaston, Rachael Kitchin of Freeport, Gladys Murphy of Biddeford, Hortense Lambert and Marion Williams of Waterville, Jeanne Moulton of Cumberland Center, Florence Wakefield of Richmond, Virginia Nickerson of Red Beach, Mona McWilliams and Marguerite Smiley of Bangor, Helen Avery of Milinocket, Belle Hutton of Cathance, Dorrice Robinson and Claire Brown of Boston, Marion Stone of Wellesley, Mass., Elsa Wilde and Dorothy Blaisdell of Norton, Mass., Lois Bailey of Newton, Mass., Alice Woodman and Marguerite Young of Peabody, Mass., Helen Josephine Hunt, Belle Fay and Eleanor Hunt of Brookline, Mass., Marion Tyler of Exeter, N. H., Eleanor Todd of Waterbury, Conn., Marion Abbey of New York City and Jeanette Nostrand of Jamaica, N. Y.

#### JOINT DANCE FRIDAY

Zeta Psi and Alpha Delta Phi held a joint dance at the Zete house Friday night, the dancing lasting from nine until two. The music was provided by a four-piece banjo orchestra. The patronesses were Mrs. Hutchins, Mrs. Burnett, Mrs. McClean, Mrs. Little, Mrs. Woodman and Mrs. Achorn. The young ladies present were the Misses Pauline Hatch of Bath, Helen Mitchell of Brunswick, Belle Hutton of Cathance, Gertrude Albion of Portland, Hazel Laird of Portland, Isabel Fay of Brookline, Mass., Helen Avery of Millinocket, Jeanne Moulton of Cumberland Center, Edith Hopkins of Bath, Josephine Hunt of Brookline, Mass., Grace Downing of Auburn, Elizabeth Hall of Portland, Eleanor Williamson of Portland, Catherine Clifford of Lewiston, Lucy Alford of Brunswick, Alice Woodman of Peabody, Mass., Marguerite Currier of Auburn, Marguerite Young of Peabody, Mass., Ruth Lovell of Brunswick, Marion Williams of Waterville and Mona McWilliams of Bangor.

#### '68 SPEAKERS CHOSEN

The following Seniors have been appointed to take part in the Class of 1868 Prize Speaking: Don Jerome Edwards, Herbert Henry Foster, Richard Stearns Fuller, Alfred Charles Kinsey, Guy Whitman Leadbetter, Donald Sherman White.

#### LIBRARY ASSISTANTS SELECTED

The result of the examination for student library assistants was so close that the three highest men were chosen. The successful candidates were Farnham '19, Hutchinson '19 and C. Stevens '19.

**CHOICES FOR ALL-MAINE ELEVEN****THE CAPTAINS**

DeWever  
of Bates  
re Purington (M)  
rt Leadbetter (B)  
rg Allen (M)  
c Merrill (Ba)  
lg Moulton (B)  
lt Neville (Ba)  
le Lescur (C)  
qb Davis (Ba)  
rhh Cawley (C)  
lhb Jones (M)  
fb DeWever (Ba)

Ruffner  
of Maine  
Selection not yet made

**THE COACHES**

Leadbetter  
of Bowdoin

Purington (M)  
Adams (Ba)  
Allen (M)  
Stanwood (C)

Moulton (B)  
Coolidge (C)  
Bradford (B)

Phillips (B)  
Cawley (C)  
Davis (Ba)  
Ruffner (M)

Stanwood  
of Colby

Purington (M)  
Coolidge (C)  
Deasey (C)

Greene (M)  
Hussey (M)  
Reardon (M)

Perry (C)  
Daley (M)  
Cawley (C)

Kirke (M)  
Jones (M)

Greene  
of Bates  
re Purington (M)  
rt Leadbetter (B)  
rg Moulton (B)  
c Merrill (Ba)  
lg Hussey (M)  
lt W. Neville (Ba)  
le Bradford (B)  
qb Daley (M)  
rhh Cawley (C)  
lhb Gorham (M)  
fb Jones (M)

Campbell of Bowdoin  
refused to pick a  
team.

Fuller  
of Colby  
Purington (M)  
Coolidge (C)  
Deasey (C)  
Stanwood (C)

Hussey (M)  
Reardon (M)  
Perry (C)  
Daley (M)  
Cawley (C)  
Kirke (M)  
Jones (M)

Hughitt  
of Maine  
Selection not yet made

**FRESHMAN CLASS MEETING**

A meeting of the Freshman class was held in Memorial Hall, Monday evening, Nov. 1, to elect the class football and track managers, Grover '19 and Dunbar '19 being elected. P. S. Turner was unanimously chosen track captain. It was decided to have the football captain elected by the candidates for the team shortly after the squad had been called out. It was further voted to assess each man fifty cents to cover the expenses of the various Freshman teams.

**FRESHMAN WARNINGS**

The number of preliminary Freshman warn-

ings this year was unusually small. There were 18 major warnings and 37 minors as compared with 24 majors and 73 minors last year. There was a larger Freshman class last year, though. Math. 1 gave the greatest number of warnings, 23 being behind in this course.

**Y. M. C. A. NOTES**

At a conference with the Superintendent of Schools arrangements were made whereby one of the town school buildings became available for our teaching. The town is cooperating also by providing the necessary books. The work of teaching continues to grow in magnitude and the number of college men interested continues to increase.

On Nov. 9, at the Church on the Hill, there will be a Young People's sociable to which all college men are invited.

On Thursday, Nov. 18, will be the first meeting of the association in Hubbard Hall at 7.00 P. M. The speaker will be Alfred L. Aiken, Governor of the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston. Mr. Aiken has been long prominent in financial circles and now occupies the leading position among bankers of Boston and New England. His topic is "The Earning, Saving and Investing of Money." In view of the interest and practicability of the subject, Mr. Aiken should have a wide appeal to college men.

**FRESHMAN SOCIAL SERVICE COMMITTEE**

The Freshman Social Service Committee of the Y. M. C. A. held a meeting last Tuesday evening to organize and consider plans for its work. Higgins was elected chairman. The first undertaking will be the collection of clothes from the students and such residents of the town as feel interested. Each fraternity house and "end" will be visited by members of the committee Friday evening, Nov. 12, between 9.30 and 10.30. These will be sent to Dr. Grenfell's Mission among the fishermen on the coast of Labrador.

Mr. Langley suggested other possible fields for work later. These may include work at Pejepscot in connection with the regular committee which has charge of that department; providing a Christmas tree for the children of mill workers in this town; giving assistance in securing funds for Christmas dinners, and work among children in small outlying settlements.

**Club and Council**

The following business was transacted at the Athletic Council meeting Friday night:

Voted that no man be allowed to indulge in

Freshman-Sophomore football game without two weeks training.

Voted that Professor Nixon be authorized to confer with the tennis captain in regard to choosing the tennis team, arranging drawings for the preliminary matches, etc.

Voted that Mr. Hargraves and Mr. Leadbetter be appointed as a committee to elect a captain and manager of fencing.

Secretary instructed to inform Trinity that we could offer them no date for a hockey match, because of the present uncertain condition of that sport at Bowdoin.

The Alumni Council met Saturday morning for their regular November meeting. They discussed the establishing of an alumni scholarship fund and an alumni loan fund as well as the general fund of the alumni. They also discussed more adequate provisions for the graduates at Commencement time.

An important meeting of the Debating Council is to be held this evening, when an amendment to the constitution will be proposed and the subjects of the intercollegiate debates discussed.

The committee on interscholastic debates has asked the following high schools to submit questions for the Bowdoin League contests: Biddeford, Brunswick, Cony (Augusta), Edward Little (Auburn), Lewiston, Lisbon Falls, Portland and Westbrook.

The committee for the Freshman-Sophomore Debate is composed of Marston '17, chairman, Brewster '16 and Cobb '17. That for the Interscholastic League is Jacob '18, chairman, Colby '17 and Drapeau '16.

### With the Faculty

Professor Cram is to represent the college at the meeting of the Association of New England Colleges, to be held at Clark University, Worcester, Mass., this month.

President Hyde officiated at the marriage of his son, George Palmer Hyde '08, to Miss Anna Walker of Brooklyn, N. Y., in that city, Saturday.

President Foster of Reed College, formerly Professor of English at Bowdoin, has an article in the current number of the *Atlantic*, on "An Indictment of Intercollegiate Athletics." Most of his illustrations are drawn from Bowdoin.

### On the Campus

Toussaint '19 has left college.

The Press Club held a meeting last Tuesday.

Beta Chi is now eating at 7 Cleaveland Street.

Holbrook '19 broke his arm in a football game last week.

Peacock '17 is removing the dead wood from the campus trees.

R. O. Allen '18 has left college because of trouble with his eyes.

Swift '17 has been out of college a month on account of appendicitis.

Theta Delta Chi will hold a Thanksgiving dance Tuesday evening, Nov. 23.

Crossman '16 is president of the young people's society at the Church on the Hill.

Burr '16 will not return to college. He broke his arm shortly before college opened this fall.

McClave '19 is in the Maine General Hospital, Portland, as the result of injuries received in football practice.

The following are the Hygiene assistants for the ensuing year: H. M. Dorman, A. G. Ireland and J. C. Kimball.

Tuesday evening, Nov. 2, a short rally was held in Memorial Hall to enable the Freshmen to learn the songs and cheers for the Maine game.

Seven Bates Sophomores were arrested, Oct. 30, and fined five dollars each for placing placards containing the annual warnings to Freshmen on posts in the city.

Proof sheets of the student register for the new college catalogue are now at the library, and all students are requested to see that their names appear in correct form.

The first plans for next year's class reunions were made recently when Louis H. Fox '06 arranged with Manager Cahill of New Meadows Inn for the tenth reunion of 1906 next June.

Students in English 1 followed the annual custom of attending the Annie Talbot Cole lectures. The second lecture by Professor Schelling, on "The Competitors of Shakespeare," will be delivered next Monday evening.

The sale of tickets Wednesday was done in big league style. From the time the tickets went on sale there was a continuous line of students from the door to the ticket office, some having to wait more than an hour to obtain their tickets.

The *Springfield Republican* and the *London Telegraph* have been added to the newspapers received daily at the library. There are now papers from New York, Chicago, Boston, Portland, Lewiston, Augusta and Bangor.

A team composed mostly of Kappa Sigs played a game with the Brunswick High School team, Thursday, Nov. 4, the former winning by a score of 18-0. During the first half one of the high school boys received a blow that crushed his nose.

An assessment of \$1.20 has been levied on each



member of the Sophomore class for the damage done on Proclamation Night. The total of damages was \$125.60. An itemized account will be cheerfully shown to any Sophomore, "vigilant" or otherwise at the Dean's office.

Tufts will come down in full force to the game at Portland Saturday. Several hundred plan to come down on the boat from Boston Friday night, and will parade Congress Street the next morning. They plan to have a Tufts Night at this, similar to Maine's plans the week before.

The Student Aid Committee recently voted to adopt a new form of scholarship application blank which requires more personal statistics than the old form. Students desiring scholarship aid should fill out one of the new blanks, before Dec. 1, even if they had handed in one of the old forms. Blanks may be had at the Treasurer's office.

Among the graduates who were on the campus for the Maine game or the dance were C. T. Hawes '76, J. L. Doherty '89, O. W. Turner '90, L. A. Burleigh '91, E. Thomas '94, J. C. Minott '96, C. P. Merrill '96, Libby '99, John Clifford '10, Hamburger '10, Means '12, Smith '12, Woodcock '12, Douglas '13, Burleigh '13, A. S. Merrill '14, Mountfort '14, Austin '15, D. K. Merrill '15, Dow '15, Cox '15, Prescott '15, Tackaberry '15, Chatto '15, McKenney '15, Morrill ex-'16.

#### CALENDAR

November

9. 7.00, Debating Council Meeting, Hubbard Hall.
10. 5.00, Mandolin Club Rehearsal.
12. Mandolin Club Trials.  
Collection for Grenfell Mission.
13. Tufts at Portland.  
N. E. I. C. A. A. Cross-Country at Boston.
15. Annie Talbot Cole Lecture.



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## TUFTS WINS IN PORTLAND

Unable to stop many of the long forward passes, end runs and trick shifts of the Tufts eleven, Bowdoin was defeated 34 to 0 at Bayside Park in Portland, Saturday, in the last game of the season. The Bowdoin team fought hard and well but they were outclassed by the heavier team from Medford. The first quarter with its three touchdowns settled the game, and though Bowdoin held Tufts in the next quarter, the rival goal was never in danger. Tufts, in spite of the reports earlier in the week, used the forward pass for long gains, taking advantage of the strong northwest wind which blew across the park. Wescott and the rest of the backs tore through and around the Bowdoin line time and again for substantial gains. Peacock and Stuart gained most of the ground for Bowdoin.

There were several spectacular plays in the game, particularly when Pryor, the heavy Tufts center, intercepted a forward pass and ran 82 yards for a touchdown in the last few minutes of play. In the first quarter, Tufts made a touchdown in two plays. Stuart kicked off to Stankard who ran the ball back 35 yards, and in the next play Wescott made a beautiful 35 yard pass to Hopkins who scored another touchdown. Bowdoin's only successful forward pass was one from Stuart to Bradford in the second quarter, which netted 20 yards. The punting was poor on both sides, partly on account of the wind which made punting up the field difficult. The Bowdoin line was weakened by the loss of Leadbetter during the second and third quarters, and there were several times when he could have punted to advantage had he been in the game.

The first score came as the result of an intercepted punt, and was quite accidental. Leadbetter, who was about to punt from the 20 yard line, did not receive the ball fairly, and attempted to kick it on the bound. The punt was blocked and Stankard picked it up and made the touchdown. The second score came as a result of a 35 yard end run by Wescott. Parks kicked three of the goals and Thorndike one.

### FIRST PERIOD

Stuart kicked off to Doane. Tufts advanced the ball to the center of the field by Doane and Wescott. Stuart recovered a fumble. Bowdoin

then started a strong offensive, Stuart and Peacock carrying the ball to Tufts' 28 yard line. Two attempts at forward passes were broken up. Oliver was substituted for Moulton and Nellis for Doane. Wescott punted over the line for a touch-back. After two line plunges by Peacock, Leadbetter attempted to punt, but the pass was poor and the punt was blocked. Stankard picked up the ball and made the first touchdown. Parks kicked the goal. Phillips kicked off to Parks who ran it back 10 yards. Tufts attempted a forward pass. Bowdoin was penalized 15 yards for tripping. Phillips broke up a double forward pass. Nellis made five through left tackle. Bowdoin intercepted a pass, and Stuart was stopped for no gain. In the next play he advanced five yards on a skin tackle play. His punt went outside on Tufts' 38 yard line. Stankard, Parks and Nellis made ten yards, and then Tufts was penalized five for off sides. Wescott kicked 30 yards to Stuart who ran it back five. Peacock and Stuart made short gains for first down. Stuart made three, Leadbetter failed to gain, and Bartlett made two through center. Leadbetter punted from the center of the field to the 28 yard line outside. Drummy went in for Mitchell. Wescott punted 42 yards to Phillips. Phillips, Stuart and Peacock made short gains and then Stuart was thrown for a six yard loss by Thorndike. Stuart punted 20 yards to Parks who ran it back 18. Nellis made 12, and a forward pass was broken up. From a fake kick formation Wescott ran 35 yards for a touchdown. The punt out was unsuccessful and no goal was kicked. Powers replaced Alger and shortly after Beacham went in for Powers. Bowdoin was off side on Phillips's first kick-off, and Stuart kicked from the 35 yard line. Stankard ran it back for 35 yards, and then a forward pass from Wescott to Stankard resulted in a touchdown. Parks kicked the goal. The period ended with the score Tufts 20, Bowdoin 0.

### SECOND PERIOD

Phillips kicked to Wescott on the 10 yard line and he ran it back 25. Tufts was penalized twice for off-sides, and Nellis made five yards through tackle. Leadbetter was injured and replaced by Campbell. Wescott advanced six and then punted 25 to Stuart who ran it back five. Pettingill replaced Bartlett. Peacock failed to gain and

Stuart lost six. He punted 32 yards to Parks who made a fair catch. Tufts advanced by the next few plays in which Nellis was prominent. Wescott kicked 25 yards to Phillips. Kern went in for Oliver who in turn replaced Campbell. Stuart and Peacock made several short advances and then Stuart made a fine 20 yard pass to Bradford. There were three more tries at passes and then Tufts got the ball. Sanborn, who replaced Hopkins, caught an eleven yard pass from Wescott. Wescott and Parks advanced the ball to Bowdoin's 18 yard line where they lost it on downs. Peacock went through the line for ten yards and then seven and Stuart made 17 in three plays. There were two attempts at passes. The period ended with the ball in Bowdoin's possession on the 28 yard line.

## THIRD PERIOD

Doane and Hopkins went back into the game, and Lincoln replaced Stankard. Thorndike kicked off to Campbell who ran it back 15 yards, Stuart and Peacock hit the Tufts line for twelve yards in three plays and Tufts was penalized for off-sides. There were two attempts at forward passes and then Stuart kicked only 14 feet. Nellis and Wescott alternately carried the ball until it reached the Bowdoin 12 yard line. Bowdoin checked the advance and Parks tried a field goal, but the wind caused it to fall short. Peacock and Phillips gained three yards and then Phillips kicked to Parks who ran back 18. Doane went through center for 17 yards. Doane and Wescott, gaining a little at each play, took it to the one yard line and Wescott carried it over on the fourth down. Parks kicked the goal. Wood was injured and replaced by Beal. Stuart kicked off to Parks who ran it back to the 37 yard line. There was a short forward pass and the period ended with the ball on Tufts' 39 yard line. Score: Tufts 27, Bowdoin 0.

## FOURTH PERIOD

Moulton went in for Kern, Leadbetter for Edwards, Nellis for Doane, Stankard for Lincoln and Sanborn for Hopkins. Wescott and Nellis made four substantial gains. Tufts was penalized 15 yards for holding. Parks made a good try for a field goal but it fell short. Stuart and Pettingill failed to gain, and Stuart punted to Wescott who claimed a fair catch. He was tackled and Bowdoin penalized 15 yards. Stuart intercepted Wescott's forward pass on the 18 yard line. Phillips made three yards but Stuart lost ten. Stuart punted 30 yards to Drummy who made a fair catch. Another attempt at field goal failed. Stuart made two and Pettingill six yards on rushing, and then Stuart punted again to Bratt. Wes-

cott made two good advances and then Beal recovered a fumble. Stuart punted again and Bradford recovered another fumble. Peacock bucked the line for nine yards. Dyar went in for Pettingill and made a short gain. It was then that Pryor intercepted the forward pass for a touch-down. McConaughy went in for Phillips. Stuart kicked to Drummy who ran it back eight, and the game closed just after Wescott had punted 42 yards to Stuart.

## Score:

TUFTS		BOWDOIN	
Stankard, lc.....	re, Wood		
Brown, lt.....	rt, Leadbetter		
Abbott, lg.....	rg, Moulton		
Pryor, c.....	c, Chase		
Algar, rg.....	lg, Brewster		
Thorndike, rt.....	lt, Edwards		
Hopkins, re.....	le, Bradford		
Parks, qb.....	qb, Phillips		
Mitchell, lhb.....	rhb, Stuart		
Wescott, rhb.....	lhb, Peacock		
Doane, fb.....	fb, Bartlett		

Score: Tufts, 34; Bowdoin, 0. Touchdowns, Stankard, Wescott 2, Hopkins, Pryor. Goals from touchdowns, Parks 3, Thorndike. Referee, T. F. Murphy of Harvard; umpire, F. W. Burleigh of Exeter; head linesman, E. L. Bragg of Wesleyan; extra official, T. H. Kelley of Portland. Time, four 15 minute periods.

## SUBSTITUTIONS

Tufts—Lincoln for Stankard; Powers for Algar; Beacham for Powers; Algar for Beacham; Sanborn for Hopkins; Hopkins for Sanborn; Drummy for Mitchell; Bratt for Drummy; Nellis for Doane; Doane for Nellis; Nellis for Doane; Stankard for Lincoln; Lincoln for Hopkins; Sanborn for Hopkins; Drummy for Parks; Bratt for Drummy; Swanson for Bratt.

Bowdoin—Beal for Wood; Oliver for Moulton; Campbell for Leadbetter; Kern for Oliver; Oliver for Edwards; Pettingill for Bartlett; Moulton for Kern; Leadbetter for Oliver; Dyar for Pettingill; McConaughy for Phillips.

## FOOTBALL STATISTICS

Including the games of 1915, the standing of games won and lost by the four Maine colleges in the championship series is as follows:

	P.C.	
	Won	Lost
Bowdoin .....	40	28
Bates .....	36	35
Maine .....	35	38
Colby .....	33	43

Bowdoin has scored in the championship games

918 points, Maine 662, Colby 642 and Bates 629. Maine has won eight championships, Bowdoin seven and a half, Bates five and Colby two and a half.

### FOOTBALL MEN BANQUET

The members of the squad, coaches and managers enjoyed a banquet at the Falmouth Hotel, Saturday evening, attending the performance at Keith's later. Brief speeches were made by the senior members of the squad and by Trainer Magee along the general lines of the benefit derived by men from the discipline and training of a football campaign.

### QUESTION FOR INTERCLASS DEBATE

The annual Freshman-Sophomore debate will take place Dec. 20, the question being: "Resolved, That a college curriculum should include military training." The trials will be held Nov. 22, when three men and an alternate will be chosen from each of the two classes. A bibliography of available material upon this subject has been posted in the Library. Candidates should hand their names to some member of the committee, Marston '17 (chairman), Brewster '16 and Cobb '17.

### DEBATING DATES ANNOUNCED

The triangular intercollegiate debating league will have its fourth annual contests on March 17, as follows: Bowdoin vs. Hamilton at Clinton, N. Y.; Hamilton vs. Wesleyan at Middletown, Conn.; Wesleyan vs. Bowdoin at Brunswick. Each of the first three series of debates in this league has resulted in a tie between the three colleges.

### 1918 WINS MEET

The final events of the interclass track meet were run off last week. The outcome is an easy victory for the Sophomores, with the Juniors second. The final score of the classes by points is: Sophomores, 49½; Juniors, 28½; Seniors, 20; Freshmen, 18. The results of the events which took place Monday follow:

Mile Run—First, Irving '16; second, Noyes '19; third, Turner '19.

120 Yard High Hurdles—First, Savage '18; second, Webber '16.

220 Yard Low Hurdles—First, Savage '18; second, Webber '16; third, Hodgkins '16.

Hammer Throw—First, Colbath '17; second, Harrington '18; third, Vance '19.

Colbath '17 and Savage '18 were tied for high point earner, each winning three firsts.

### FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE GAME SATURDAY

Now that the Varsity season is over, the football interest of the college will center on the contest that is to take place on the Delta Saturday between the Freshmen and the Sophomores. Both teams have been putting in some hard work in preparation. The Freshman squad has been practicing the past week under the coaching of Colbath '17 and this week Shumway '17 will assist. The team has a heavy line and a choice of several good men for the back field. The Sophomore team, which has been working without a coach, expects to have Captain Leadbetter to whip it into shape this week. The line will probably be rather light, but some fast and experienced men who are expected to play in the back field will make up for that deficiency.

The candidates from 1918 are: Blanchard, Babbitt, Berryman, Curran, Freese, Friedman, Farmer, Gray, Grant, Jones, McQuillan, McCormick, Moulton, Needleman, Rounds, Sandford, Stewart, Philbrick, J. Thomas, Woodman, Woodworth, Warren, Wheat, Young. Those out for the Freshman team are: Boratis, Cole, Canavello, Ewer, Fay, Gray, Grover, Hemenway, Holbrook, Irving, Kern, McPherson, McIninch, Martin, Merrill, Leighton, Larrabee, Noyes, Patrick, Perkins, Sprague, Safford, Sproul, Turner, Thomas, Vance, Whitcomb.

### MAINE REPEATS IN NEW ENGLAND RACE

The fourth annual cross-country run of the N. E. I. C. A. A., held in Boston Saturday, was again won by the University of Maine. Her team was composed of the same men who won the Maine championship at Orono the week before, Bell being the first Maine man to finish. Individual honors went to M. I. T., Brown finishing first by a margin of 200 yards over Aiken of the Massachusetts Aggies, who in turn had less than half that distance over Bell of Maine. The time for the five mile course was 28 min., 48 1-5 sec. Bates finished last of the eight entries and Colby's entry was withdrawn shortly before the race.

The team scores were as follows:

University of Maine.....	59
Dartmouth .....	68
Massachusetts Institute of Technology.....	98
Brown .....	101
Massachusetts Agricultural College.....	125
Worcester Polytechnic Institute.....	130
Williams .....	153
Bates .....	154



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## The Football Coach

No sooner is this year's football season ended than Bowdoin is again faced with the problem of a coach for next fall. Even a hasty survey of the season emphasizes the need for an experienced, well-trained man. Our material is small; we cannot afford to return to the old system of less able men.

Last winter alumni of the college contributed generously that Bowdoin might have a better coach. The results have justified their expenditure. This year's team, composed entirely of men who were in college a year ago, has been far superior to its predecessor.

We are not well enough acquainted with the

practical features of the game to say whether Mr. Campbell should be retained for another year. But if we value the evidence of those who have played on the team, we should make immediate effort again to secure his services. But whoever our next coach is, whether he be Mr. Campbell or another, he should be a man of proved ability.

## Football Letters

During the past week there has been talk of a new method of awarding football letters. Under the proposed plan letters will be awarded on the basis of merit, rather than on the number of periods played. This would give the "B" to men kept out of the Maine series by early season injuries, as well as to those who have worked hard but who have just fallen short of the required number of periods. The scheme is worthy on the face of it, but we cannot commend it until further particulars are advanced. It will not do to cheapen the "B" by awarding it promiscuously.

## Relay Work for Football Men

Again we find that we are restricting the editorial column to the discussion of matters pertaining to football. But with the defeat by Tufts fresh in mind, we believe that the time is psychological for the proposal of one more "reform." Those who saw the Tufts game will remember the quickness of the Tufts backfield, the snap and dash which characterized its work, and also the speed of the Tufts ends in getting down the field under forward passes and punts. Bowdoin was so much slower that contrast is painful.

To remedy this defect, to give the football men increased speed in starting and running, we suggest that relay work be made a part of their regular winter training. Relay fits a man to run distances up to three or four hundred yards and gives him practice in making quick starts. This sort of work during the winter will speed up the team appreciably.

## FROM AN ALUMNUS

*Editors Bowdoin ORIENT.*

GENTLEMEN:—Permit me to write just a word of appreciation of this year's football team. We all went to the Maine game expecting to be scored upon but we came away proud of a team which fought for every inch and deserved to win. Many old grads expressed the same opinion to me.

Yours,

GEO. C. WEBBER,  
Bowdoin '95.



# The Men in Charge of the Team



G. W. LEADBETTER '16  
Captain



T. J. CAMPBELL  
Head Coach



LIEUT. SMITH  
Line Coach



J. J. MAGEE  
Trainer

# Rowdoin Football Squad--Season of 1915



BACK ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT—Head Coach Campbell, Stone, Oliver, Beal, Wood, Campbell, Brewster, Leadbetter (Captain), Pike, Gillespie, Hersum, Morrison, Stanley, McNaughton, Stewart, Moulton, Line Coach Smith.

MIDDLE ROW—Drummond, Peacock, Foster, Edwards, Dyar, Young, Pettingill, Bradford, Doherty, Chase.

FRONT ROW—Needleman, Bartlett, Stuart, Nevens, Phillips, Small, Magee (Trainer), McConaughy, Kern.

# A Quartet of Backfield Men



G. S. NEVENS '18  
Half-Back



H. H. FOSTER '16  
Half-Back



F. E. PHILLIPS '17  
Quarter-Back



G. R. STUART '16  
Half-Back



# The Line Men



K. G. STONE '17  
Right Guard



W. E. CHASE '16  
Center



B. P. BRADFORD '17  
Left End



J. H. BREWSTER '16  
Right Guard



D. J. EDWARDS '16  
Left Tackle



### MASQUE AND GOWN ADOPTS PIN

The Masque and Gown has adopted a pin for the use of its members. This pin is very attractive in appearance, showing a mask of comedy and one of tragedy joined together with the block letter B at the top. The masks are heavily modeled in dull gold, the letter being highly polished to contrast with the rest of the pin.

### HOCKEY ENTHUSIASM AWAKENED

An enthusiastic meeting for the purpose of discussing hockey prospects for the coming season was held at the D. K. E. house Friday evening. In the discussion it was pointed out that the interest shown last year, when at least 35 men participated in the interclass contests, warranted a continuation of the rink. The inadequacy of the old rink and the need for a larger and more scientifically constructed one was brought out by several of those who played last year.

The unusual interest taken in hockey seems the natural result of the desire for an outdoor winter sport at Bowdoin. Some of the men who had watched the operation of this sport at other institutions asserted that hockey is of great value in keeping those engaged in other sports in the best of physical condition during the winter months. The fact that several other colleges are looking to Bowdoin to take the initiative in adopting hockey as a winter sport led to the appointing of Irving '16 and B. W. Bartlett '17 as a committee to bring the matter before the Athletic Council.

### PHI CHI INITIATION AND BANQUET

On Friday and Saturday evenings of last week occurred the annual initiation of the Phi Chi Medical fraternity. Friday evening was devoted to the working of the first degree. On Saturday the second degree was worked, followed by a banquet at the Congress Square Hotel. Dr. Alfred King was introduced as toastmaster by Sidney C. Dalrymple. Dr. F. N. Whittier, the first speaker of the evening, told of the need of "Preparedness in Medicine." "Some Serious Aspects of the Practice of Medicine" was fittingly treated by Dr. H. F. Twitchell. In introducing the next speaker, Dr. J. A. Spalding, Dr. King said that those who knew him best admired him for his intellectual ability and loved him for his kindness of heart. Dr. Spalding, in his original way, discussed the question of "Medico-legal Testimony." Dr. E. J. McDonough, professor of Obstetrics, cleverly presented "Reminiscences."

During the banquet music was furnished by Brooks' orchestra. The evening closed by singing Phi Chi and Bowdoin Beata.

The following were received in membership: Harry Everett Allen, Brunswick; Curtis William Dyer, Cornish; John Ralph Hamel, Portland; Daniel Morris Mannix, Portland; Manning Cole Moulton, Portland; Norman Hunt Nickerson, Red Beach; Harold Burton Walker, Biddeford.

### '61 PLANS REUNION

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*—

The ORIENT reported in its last issue that "the first plans for next year's class reunions" had been made in behalf of that extremely youthful body, the class of 1906. That is a grave mistake. Already in September arrangements were made with the proprietor of the New Meadows Inn for a dinner of the Class of 1861 next June. Moreover that class is after the champion cup. Every surviving member of the class has promised to be at the reunion. One of them is coming from California expressly for the occasion. We are only thirteen left of the fifty-two on the catalogue, but that is a lucky number, and we challenge any class hereafter to match our fifty-fifth reunion and our loyalty to the College.

EDWARD STANWOOD.

Brookline, November 10.

### PRIZES FOR BEST ESSAYS

Two prizes of \$25.00 each are being offered to any undergraduate students duly matriculated for the best essay on Prisons and Prison Labor. The prizes are being given by Adolph Lewison, President of the National Committee on Prisons and Prison Labor. For information apply to National Committee on Prisons and Prison Labor, Broadway and 116th Street, New York City.

### BASEBALL NOTICE

All men planning to take baseball work in the cage in the place of regular gymnasium or track work are requested to hand their schedules of hours to L. S. McElwee at the D. K. E. house.

### PROFESSOR SCHELLING LECTURES

The first of the Annie Talbot Cole lectures was held Monday, Nov. 8, in Memorial Hall. The speaker was Professor Felix E. Schelling, Ph.D., of the University of Pennsylvania. Professor Schelling took as his subject "Some Recent Discoveries Concerning Shakespeare." Among the most important of these discoveries, he cited the work of Professor Wallace who has searched with exhaustive care the public records of England at the time of Shakespeare on the supposition that he might be mentioned somewhere in them. Most of these records are written in high

Latin and had not been disturbed for hundreds of years. This work is not yet completed, but among the discoveries already made is an autograph of Shakespeare, the sixth in existence. The fact that the Shakespeare family was granted a coat of arms, and that they were comparatively wealthy people, has also been discovered.

"In summary we may say that these new discoveries prove that Shakespeare came honestly by his raillery and humor from a father noted for his wit; that Shakespeare paid his debts like a man; that actors in his day 'outraged truth and decency' to obtain respectability by securing a coat of arms, Shakespeare among them; that the author was also somewhat of an artist; that Shakespeare owned more property in London than we thought and defended his rights; and that he was a 'kindly and non-committal witness.' Moreover, we know the details of his 'traffic with the stage,' to say nothing of the new signature, strayed books and the portraits. Everything that we add to our knowledge of Shakespeare is natural and reasonable, expected and explainable. Indeed, we can explain everything about Shakespeare except one thing—his genius."

Professor Schelling's second lecture last evening was on the subject, "The Competitors of Shakespeare."

#### ALUMNI COUNCIL RECOMMENDATIONS

A meeting of the Alumni Council was held at the office of the Dean, Nov. 6. The meeting was called to order by President Dana. There were also present Dean Sills, Professor Mitchell and Messrs. Hawes, Andrews, Roberts, Spear, Thomas, Robinson and Wheeler.

Mr. Philip W. Dana was reelected President and Mr. George P. Hyde was reelected Secretary and Treasurer for the ensuing year.

The Council discussed the matter of better accommodations for alumni returning to the College for Commencement week and the feasibility of setting apart one end of one of the dormitories for use of such alumni. Dean Sills read a letter from Dr. Lucien Howe '70, of Buffalo, New York, setting forth the need of action along this line, and Mr. Furbish, the Treasurer of the College, explained to the Council the present method of providing accommodations for alumni during Commencement week. At the conclusion of the discussion it was voted: That the Council endorse the plan that commencing not later than the Commencement of 1917, one end of one of the dormitories be set aside for use of alumni returning to College for Commencement week.

The Council then discussed the matter of an

Alumni Loan Fund, similar to the plan in use at Dartmouth, and on motion of Mr. Andrews, it was voted: That a committee of three members of the Council be appointed by the chair for the raising and control of an Alumni Loan Fund.

The Council next discussed the matter of an Alumni Fund to which small contributions could be given and bequests made, and it was voted: That the Council request the Trustees and Overseers of the College to consider the advisability of establishing a fund to be known as the "Alumni Fund," for the reception of small bequests and contributions, and the Secretary was instructed to forward to the Secretary of the Board of Trustees a copy of this vote.

Mr. Hawes mentioned the matter of the establishment of a regular fund for athletics by certain men agreeing to pay a certain sum each year varying from one dollar upward for the establishment of such a fund, and thus doing away with the necessity of repeated solicitations, and the Secretary was instructed to include in the call for the next meeting this matter of a regular fund for athletics.

Dean Sills reported the receipt of a communication from Judge Addison E. Herrick, of Bethel, Maine, stating that the Alumni Association of Oxford County is to be revived and it was voted: That the Secretary express to Judge Herrick the gratification of the Council at learning that the activities of the Oxford County Alumni Association are to be renewed.

The matter of military training in College, for which credit should be given by the College towards a degree, and the possibility of credit being given by the College for attendance at the summer camp at Plattsburg were discussed, as was also the better representation of the College in the press, and the Secretary was instructed to include these matters in the call for the next meeting.

It was voted: That the next meeting of the Council be held in Boston at the time of the annual meeting of the General Alumni Association of Boston and vicinity.

GEO. C. WHEELER,  
*Secretary Pro Tem.*

#### FROM THE FACULTY RECORD

4 October, 1915.

"The Faculty desires to put upon record its sense of great loss in the death of Dr. George T. Little, universally regretted. His unusual natural gifts as a man and a scholar, developed under the discipline of the College, were soon placed at the whole-hearted service of his alma mater, and

were employed nobly by him to the limit of his earthly days. The courage of his perfect allegiance was unflagging. The obligations of his position were sacred to him, and such was the substance of which he was made, that those who knew him best believe he would have died, if necessary, for conscience's sake. His views of the work of this College as a whole were pronounced. He was unwearied in the task of laboring practically for the ideal in his own sphere. The academic promotion and the honors that were conferred upon him were known by those who knew his qualities to be justly earned. He repaid the confidence placed in him by the institution for which he lived by the modest and effective fidelity of the perfect servant."

### With the Faculty

Professor Brown lectured in Bangor Thursday on the "Community Theatre."

Dean Sills addressed the faculty of Portland High School at a luncheon last Wednesday.

Professor Hormell gave an address on the municipal manager plan at the meeting of the Auburn Board of Trade last week.

Professor Files attended the meeting held in Portland of citizens of Maine interested in the establishment of an aeronautical station in Casco Bay and an aerial patrol for the entire coast.

### On the Campus

Theta Delta Chi will give a dance next Friday evening.

Whittier Field is being put in shape for the winter this week.

Cornack '17 received a bad eye as a result of a tag football game recently.

The white helmets easily distinguished the Tufts players in the game Saturday.

Morse '18, who was operated on for appendicitis in Portland last week, is gaining rapidly.

Applications for scholarships should be made out and handed in to the office as soon as possible.

Theta Delta Chi will hold its Thanksgiving dance this week Friday instead of next Tuesday.

The early announcement of other college games on the field last Saturday was appreciated by the students.

The election of next season's football captain is to be held this noon, following the picture at Webber's.

"The Birth of a Nation," which was presented last week at the Cumberland Theatre, was well

attended by both townspeople and college students.

Leatherbarrow '16 is principal and Racine '18, assistant, in the Brunswick Evening School which held its first session in the new high school building last week.

A member of Portland alumni commented favorably on the spirit of the faithful ones who marched back to Monument Square after the game and cheered their defeated team and their opponent rooters opposite.

The tennis tournament which has proceeded very slowly has been called off for this fall by the manager. The results of the tournament, as far as it has been played, have showed several promising men from the Freshman class.

The football team had a banquet at the Congress Square after the game Saturday, and in the evening occupied a box at Keith's. Two of the other boxes were filled with Bowdoin students. Tufts was meanwhile celebrating at the Jefferson.

There will be an opportunity to make up Gymnasium conditions and incompletes on each week day from 4:30 to 5:30 until further notice. Mr. Kimball and Mr. Ireland will be glad to have students report at this time for voluntary gymnasium work.

Ten seniors played their last game of football Saturday: Capt. Leadbetter, Moulton, Wood, Beal, Chase, Brewster, Edwards, Stuart, Pettigill and Dyar. Foster has been unable to play since the Maine game and Drummond is the twelfth man to have played his last game.

Noyes '17 experienced an unexpected sensation recently when the front fork of his motor-propelled bicycle broke in two. Fortunately enough, he was going slowly and received no injuries. Later in the afternoon he had his motor attached to another wheel.

There have been two exciting tag football games between the Theta Deltas and Psi U's on the latter's grounds during the past week. The first game was a tie, each side scoring six touchdowns in the hour of play. In the second game, the Theta Deltas won 9 to 4. Burr '19 starred for the winners, while Keene '17 and Sayward '16 in the backfield were prominent on the Psi U team. D U defeated the Bowdoin Club this week in tag football, also.

The latest demand from the front is "send smokes." An appeal has been received at the college from friends in Montreal asking if any undergraduates here would care to contribute small sums to a fund to send tobacco and cigarettes for Christmas to the Canadian soldiers in the trenches. Wounded men and officers back



from the front say, emphatically, "send smokes." Members of the college, particularly the smokers, who would like to give a few moments of comfort to soldiers on the firing line may place their gifts in a box at the Library provided for the purpose.

#### CALENDAR

November

16. Football picture and election.
18. 7.00 P. M. Alfred L. Aiken, Y. M. C. A. speaker on "The Earning, Saving and Investing of Money," Hubbard Hall.
19. Theta Delta Chi Dance.
20. Freshman-Sophomore Football Game.
22. Trials for Interclass Debate.
23. Warnings.
24. Thanksgiving Recess Begins, 12.30 P. M.
29. Thanksgiving Recess Ends, 8.20 A. M.

#### Alumni Department

'02.—Harvey D. Gibson has been elected vice-president of the Wright Aeroplane Company of New York City.

'09.—A son, William Smith Burton, was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Burton, October 10, 1915.

'10.—Leon Hartley Smith of Portland and Miss Josephine Ward were married by Rev. James F. Albion, D.D., on the evening of October 14, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Ward of Kennebunk. Mr. Smith is a member of the Theta Delta Chi fraternity.

'11.—Frank Humphrey Purington of New York City and Miss Elsa Chelins Schroeder were married at Dorchester, Mass., on September 15 at the home of the bride's aunt, Miss Anna Chelins.

'11 and Medic '14.—The engagement is announced of Waldo T. Skillin of Fairfield and Miss Josephine Anna Feury of Portland. Dr. Skillin is practicing medicine in Fairfield.

'12.—Harry M. Keating, at present with the Rockland National Bank, goes to Springfield, Mass., next month where he is to fill the position of assistant superintendent with the Strathmore Paper Company, one of the largest manufacturers of high-grade papers in the world.

'12.—Frank A. Smith, Medic '15, has received an appointment in the Harvard unit for service in the medical corps in France.

'13.—The engagement of Miss Christine Huston and Leon Dodge, both of Newcastle, has been announced.

'13.—The wedding of Miss Olive Holman Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Holman M. Barnes of Coyle street, Portland, and Chester Granville Abbott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Abbott of Lynn, Mass., took place Saturday evening at the Woodford Congregational Church in Portland. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William B. Tuthill.

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## FOOTBALL MANAGERS NOMINATED

At a meeting of the Athletic Council Nov. 15 the following nominations were made:

For football manager, from 1917: Edwin H. Blanchard, Harold S. Young and E. C. Moran, alternate.

For assistant football manager, from 1918: Timothy P. Stearns, Alfred S. Gray, and Frederick F. French, alternate.

## QUESTION FOR DEBATES ANNOUNCED

The subject of the fourth annual Intercollegiate League Debates, March 17, will be: "Resolved, That Secretary Garrison's plan for reorganizing the military system of the United States should be adopted." This question is also that of the Bradbury Prize Debates. The trials for these contests will probably occur next January, but more definite announcements will be made later.

## STUDENT FORUM PLANNED

It is hoped to establish a student forum in connection with the new Bowdoin Union. The purpose of this organization will be to discuss current events and other items of interest to the students. Kinsey '16 (chairman), Marston '17 and Jacob '18 have been appointed a committee to consider the proposition.

## FRESHMEN SCORE TWICE

The annual Freshman-Sophomore football game played on the Delta Saturday resulted in a victory for 1919, the score being 12 to 0. Sproul, Small and Turner made substantial gains for the Freshmen, while Needleman was the only Sophomore who succeeded in puncturing the Freshman line for consistent gains. The field was in good condition for so late in the season and the game was a good one to watch.

Neither team scored in the first quarter. Freese, who had shown up well in practice as a punter, received a blow in the head and was replaced by Babbitt.

The first Freshman score came toward the end of the half. McQuillan fumbled a poor pass from center and recovering it, attempted to punt. The kick was blocked and the ball recovered by Merrill who ran 40 yards for a touchdown. Sproul missed the goal.

In the last half there was more open play. Sproul attempted a field goal from the 40 yard line which missed by a narrow margin. Needleman intercepted a forward pass and gained 20 yards. The other Freshman score came as the result of a fumble. The Sophomores were lined up under the shadow of their own goal posts and fumbled the ball which rolled over the goal line where McPherson fell on it for a touchdown. Toward the end of the game, the Sophomores threatened to score. They rushed the ball to the Freshmen's two yard line by a combination of line plunging and forward passes, only to lose it on a fumble which was recovered by Patrick, after the Freshmen had held for three downs.

An analysis of the plays shows the superiority of the Freshmen in punting and tackling and their opponents' comparative excellence in line-plunging and passing. Both teams played a clean game, the Sophomores receiving penalties amounting to 15 yards and the Freshmen losing ten yards in the same manner. Sproul's punting was the feature of the Freshman's game but the work of the other backfield men in rushing was noticeable. In the line Hersum and Kern were prominent on the defense. Needleman was easily the best player of the Sophomores' aggregation. His rushes netted the Sophomores many yards and his tackling was noticeable. MacCormick figured as the recipient of two of the three successful forward passes in the game.

Following is the line-up:

FRESHMEN	SOPHOMORES
Holbrook, lc.....	re, MacCormick
Merrill, Fay, lt.....	rt, Sandford
Kern, lg.....	rg, Stewart
Patrick, c.....	c, Curran
Morrison, rg.....	lg, Jones
Hersum, Perkins, rt.....	lt, Berryman, Wheat
McPherson, Martin, re.....	le, Woodworth
Sproul, Ewer, qb.....	qb, Needleman
Turner, rhb.....	rhb, McQuillan
P. Doherty, Boratis, lhb.....	lhb, Johnson
Small, fb.....	fb, Freese, Babbitt

Score: Freshmen, 12; Sophomores, 0. Touchdowns: Merrill, McPherson. Referee: Leadbetter '16; umpire, Moulton '16; head linesman, Brewster '16; timekeeper and field judge, Chase '16. Time: 10 minute periods.

### MAINE WINS INTERCOLLEGIATE RACE

Maine's cross-country team sprung a surprise Saturday by winning the I.C.A.A.A. race in Boston, beating out Cornell and Princeton, one of whom had been picked to win. The time was 33 minutes, 21 seconds for the six-mile course. Bell of Maine, who was beaten by Brown of Tech by a good 100 yards last week, came back and won by a margin of 30 yards over the Tech man. Twelve colleges were entered, Colby and City College of New York not sending teams.

Following are the team scores: Maine 51, Cornell 54, Princeton 113, Dartmouth 115, Pennsylvania 154, Harvard 156, Syracuse 163, Technology 173, Yale 208, Michigan 248, Columbia 300, Brown 303.

### SECOND LECTURE ON SHAKESPEARE

The second of Professor Schelling's lectures was given in Memorial Hall Monday, Nov. 15. The subject was "The Competitors of Shakespeare." Professor Schelling spoke of Shakespeare's versatility, his works being about equally divided between comedy, tragedy and the historical drama. Probably the reason for this is that his plots are almost without exception taken from the works of contemporary authors. Among these contemporaries the most important from a Shakespearean standpoint are Lyly, from whom Shakespeare's early ideas of high society were taken; and Marlowe, whose style Shakespeare at one time followed. Later, however, he wrote "Richard II" to rival Marlowe's "Edward II," the two plays having almost identical plots. Other writers from whom Shakespeare borrowed were Greene and Kidd.

Broadly speaking, there were two classes of dramatists in the Elizabethan Age: writers who prepared plays for the popular theatres, and writers who prepared plays for the delectation of the court. The former were generally illiterate men who combined the functions of dramatist, player and manager although a few popular playwrights were educated men. Among these popular dramatists, Wilson, Nash, Peel, Green, Kidd, Lodge and Chetts should be mentioned. Most of their plays were produced by Henslowe, the theatrical magnate of the time, who controlled most of the London playhouses. It is a wonder that they produced such good work as they did under the unfavorable conditions imposed by this man. The second type, the court dramatists, were generally educated men. Among their number were Heywood, the prose Shakespeare, Chapman and Marlowe, tragedians, Decker, Marshall, the satirist, and Jonson, who perfected the masque. The lat-

ter was the most formidable competitor, and, at the same time the best friend of Shakespeare. Jonson was one of the greatest scholars of his time. Beaumont and Fletcher were two collaborating dramatists, much younger than Shakespeare, whose most popular works were imitations of the latter's plays. The works of all these men deserve much more attention than they receive.

Professor Schelling next explained the difficulty of tracing the authorship of dramas written at this time owing to the fact that it was considered immodest to publish them in book form with the author's name attached.

Shakespeare made more money out of his plays than anyone up to his time. He was an adaptable genius. He was not the inventor of Elizabethan drama, but merely took other writers' works, remodeled and rearranged them and had a play. He improved them; seldom did he add anything. Shakespeare tried many experiments which he did not use. Elizabethan drama made one love life and hate vice.

### PROFESSIONALISM IN ATHLETICS

So much has been said about Trinity and its athletic policy that we print the following editorial from the *Trinity Tripod* stating their position.

"All we require of our athletes is that they maintain a satisfactory scholastic standing and that on the field they be gentlemen. Never once has interest in our athletics suffered because some of our men were not strict amateurs. Our 'varsity' athletes are free to make all the money in professional athletics that they can. They do not have to be sneaky and underhanded about following, during vacations, an honest, wholesome calling. They know that the college rejoices in so many of them being good enough to command the salaries that they do. We do not believe in splitting hairs. Our conviction is that the student who turns his athletic ability into money by giving physical instruction in a summer camp, or by selling signed articles to newspapers, is just as much a professional as would be Christy Mathewson himself should he come to college. We believe in logical, common-sense reasoning and in a little fairness and broad-mindedness. And we shall not change our convictions merely to keep on our schedules certain teams which may disagree with us."

The *Wesleyan Argus* comments as follows:

"The above editorial surely explains their position in a clear manner save for one respect. What, may we ask, constitutes a 'satisfactory

scholastic standing?" When members of the football team take twenty odd cuts in a course and then leave college immediately after the season is over, one cannot but believe that the scholastic standing is somewhat low."

## REPORT OF MANAGER OF TRACK TEAM

SEASON 1914-1915.

## RECEIPTS

Maine Intercol. (C.C.) .....	\$ 4 20
Relay guarantees .....	150 00
Loan (Council) .....	25 00
B. I. I. M. (Indoor) .....	270 05
Alumni subscription .....	25 00
Interclass Meet .....	113 90
Refund on sweaters .....	20 90
Bates Meet .....	47 50
Loan .....	27 50
Loan (Council) .....	200 00
Loan (Council) .....	200 00
M. I. C. A. A. officials' expenses .....	11 40
B. I. M. M. (Outdoor) .....	61 25
I. C. A. A. A. A. (expense refund) ..	7 10
Loan .....	10 00
M. I. T. guarantee .....	77 62
M. I. C. A. A. dividend .....	206 11

Total .....	\$1,457 53
From A. S. B. C. ....	1,000 00

Total receipts ..... \$2,457 53

## EXPENDITURES

Old accounts .....	\$ 88 20
Cross-Country .....	155 63
Telephone (248-Y) .....	18 24
Equipment .....	36 46
Incidentals .....	2 25
Expenses to Boston .....	10 30
B. I. I. M. (Indoor) .....	128 96
Coach .....	500 00
1918 Relay Team .....	9 75
C. A. C. Relay Trip .....	106 42
B. A. A. Relay Trip .....	96 43
Hartford and Providence Trip .....	204 23
Loan (Council) .....	25 00
Typewriter rent .....	21 00
Incidents .....	21 70
Wheeler Print Shop .....	72 60
Supplies .....	27 26
M. I. C. A. A., N. E. I. C. A. A. dues, etc. ....	43 25
Sweaters .....	46 35
M. C. mileage .....	11 25
Expenses, Bates team .....	18 85
Loan .....	27 50
M. I. T. Trip .....	313 86
I. C. A. A. A. A. ....	164 00

Bugle for cuts .....	17 00
M. I. C. A. A. ....	169 78
Loan .....	10 00
N. E. I. C. A. A. ....	95 14

Total expenditures .....	\$2,441 41
Balance, profit .....	\$ 16 12

Respectfully submitted,

W. EMERY CHASE, JR.,

June 16, 1915.

June 10, 1915.

Audited by BARRETT POTTER.

## FROM THE MAINE CAMPUS

The following extract from the University of Maine *Campus* is pleasing as evidence of the friendly rivalry that exists between Maine and Bowdoin:

"The comment on the good feeling between Bowdoin and Maine is especially gratifying. Bowdoin and Maine have always been keen rivals and in our day there has been nothing but the cleanest of rivalry between the two. In Bowdoin we have a rival who commands our highest respect and we believe that they have the same regard for us. Such little incidents as the one mentioned are the expression of real sportsmanship."

"The following is reprinted from the Bangor *Commercial*—and will be read with interest by both Maine and Bowdoin men:"

## GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP SHOWN AT BRUNSWICK

It was only a little incident, but it well illustrated the spirit of real sportsmanship which existed in the game between Bowdoin and University of Maine on Saturday afternoon. After the game was over the Bowdoin students, led by their band, and bearing aloft their big white banner, left the field first. Bowdoin men occupied the bleachers in front of the Hubbard grandstand and so were nearer the entrance. After marching the length of the lane extending through the huge pines, which hide the Whittier Field from the street, the Bowdoin parade halted, and dividing opened a path through which the victorious University of Maine students passed. As the students bearing the huge blue banner of Maine were passing through the Bowdoin men joined in giving three lusty cheers for the victors. The Maine procession stopped for a moment and three cheers were given for Bowdoin.

Fair Play and May the Best Man Win, is the Bowdoin motto in all athletic sports and the spirit of that motto was never better observed than on Saturday. Maine won the game. The best team won. Bowdoin men have nothing but words of praise for the victors.



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### Hockey

A committee recently waited upon the Athletic Council to ask for a hockey rink with larger area and higher side boards than last year's rink had. This rink will be a step, we are told, towards varsity hockey. Provided the expense is not too great, we can see no reason why the rink should not be built. But we should have only interclass hockey. Bowdoin is not in a position to support varsity hockey.

With other branches of athletics in so low a condition, we have no legitimate reason for undertaking a new branch of sport. We need all our energies for football, baseball and track—of vastly more importance than hockey could ever

become. When we are obliged to call on alumni for money for a football coach, we cannot pay the expenses of a hockey team. When we are unable to secure the baseball coach we want, on account of lack of two or three hundred dollars, as was the case only two years ago, we cannot afford a hockey coach. If we are to have a team we must have a first class coach. His services would call for greater compensation than we can afford.

If we had varsity hockey we should not be content to play the other Maine colleges. Just as soon as hockey becomes a major sport in the state, we should be obliged to struggle with conditions that now face us in track and football. Varsity hockey would be worth while for us only when we play the Massachusetts and Connecticut colleges. Trips to Massachusetts cost money. Five trips would cost as many hundred dollars.

It has been proposed to meet a part of the expenses of hockey by the abolition of fencing. We admit that fencing does not claim the interest of more than a handful of undergraduates, probably not so many as hockey would attract. But fencing is the sole medium of relations with Harvard and Yale. It is certainly a factor in the "better-games-for-the-team" movement that cannot be overlooked. The eighty dollars spent on fencing is not nearly enough to play even a considerable part in building a rink and maintaining a team. We cannot sacrifice fencing as a means of advancing hockey.

Furthermore, good hockey material is not abundant, if we may judge from interclass games last year. We draw few men from preparatory schools that play hockey. The hockey experience of most of our undergraduates bears the same relation to scientific playing that back-yard scrub does to college baseball.

The case against varsity hockey may be summed up briefly. We have not enough money; we have not enough material.

We do not deny that hockey is a wonderful game. If conditions were right, we should not hesitate to advocate it. But conditions are not right. Until our teams in the major sports win championships and the Blanket Tax declares dividends, Bowdoin cannot have a hockey team.

### The Blanket Tax

One of our esteemed contemporaries once—possibly more than once—defined the *causa vivendi* of the ORIENT to be the printing weekly editorials about the Blanket Tax. We hope that we will not bore our readers if, for the first time for many months, we discuss the Blanket Tax.

That the Blanket Tax is the most efficient means of providing funds for athletics yet de-



vised cannot be denied. But even that system has its imperfection. There are in college many men who can afford to pay the tax but who refuse to do so, preferring to read somebody else's *ORIENT* and *Quill* and to graft in any way that may present itself in order to escape payment. These men do not bear their due share in the expense of our undergraduate activities. They should be made to do so.

It has been proposed that the Blanket Tax be put on the term bill, a method now in use at many other colleges. In this way every man in college would subscribe his share and the Associated Students would be richer by a thousand dollars a year.

"But," it may be said, "there are in college some men who cannot pay, to whom the extra fifteen dollars would be an unjust burden."

There should be then a committee of the Board of Managers to which applications for exemption could be made. This committee should have the power to relieve from payment of the Blanket Tax those men who, in its opinion, are unable to pay. The method would not be unjust.

#### THETA DELTA CHI HOLDS DANCE

On the wildest night of the season as far as weather was concerned, Eta of Theta Delta Chi held its Thanksgiving dance last Friday. The decorations were in orange. Lovell's orchestra furnished music for an order of twenty dances. The patronesses were Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell and Mrs. Alaric W. Haskell of Brunswick. The guests included the Misses Fidelia Woodbury, Jeanette Marriner, Gertrude Albion, Ethel Sawyer, Laura Goding, Ruth Johnson, Elizabeth Barton, Bertha Russell, Nan Stevens and Mildred Russell of Portland; Marguerite Hutchins, Ruth Nearing, Yvette Lapointe and Lorette Lapointe of Brunswick; Isabel Olm of Bath, Mabel Silsby of Bangor, Irene Locke of Norway and Mary Noyes of Topsham. The committee in charge was composed of Littlefield '16, Phillips '17, Farnham '18 and Corcoran '19.

#### ALPHA KAPPA KAPPA INITIATION

The Alpha Kappa Kappa medical fraternity held its initiation and banquet Saturday evening, Nov. 13, at the Lafayette Hotel, Portland.

The toastmaster was Dr. Frank Y. Gilbert of Portland. He was introduced by William S. Leavenworth '16 of Norwich, Conn. The following were the speakers of the evening: Dr. Frederic H. Gerrish, Portland; Dean Addison S. Thayer, Portland; Dr. Charles H. Hunt, Portland; Dr. Edson S. Cummings, Lewiston; Dr.

Carl M. Robinson, Portland; Dr. Oramel E. Haney, Portland; Dr. Elmer H. King, Portland; George O. Cummings '18, Frank N. Knapp '17, Charles C. Morrison, Jr., '18, Samuel Fraser '19.

The committee in charge of the initiation and banquet was composed of Alton L. Grant, Jr., '16, George O. Cummings '16 and Frank N. Knapp '17.

The initiates were: George Napoleon Beal, Jonesport; Albert Martin Carde, Jr., Bowdoinham; Samuel Fraser, Marsardis; Frederick Melville King, Damariscotta; Ulric Joseph Renaud, Brockton, Mass.; Bernard Leroy Toothaker, Strong; Elmer M. Tower, Southwest Harbor; Langdon Robert White, Bath.

#### SOCIAL SERVICE WORK STARTED

The classes for teaching English to foreigners have been started in the High School building. They are held on Tuesday and Friday evenings. Two groups of students form the teaching staff, each group teaching one evening. The present registration is thirty-five.

#### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The Y. M. C. A. has sent out a circular letter to the churches in towns within a radius of about 50 miles from Brunswick, concerning the college deputation work. The purpose is to stimulate cooperation between these churches and the Y. M. C. A. Several enthusiastic replies have already been received.

A group of fellows headed by Mr. Langley walked to Maquoit last Wednesday, to look over the ground in view to forming a boys' club there. The conditions seemed favorable, and it is likely that a club, somewhat like the one at Pejepscot, will be formed.

The lecture by Mr. Alfred L. Aiken, which was planned for last Thursday, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., had to be cancelled. Mr. Aiken telephoned that he was obliged to attend a meeting of the Federal Reserve Bank at Boston, of which he is the governor. Although the lecture has been postponed indefinitely, it is probable we shall hear Mr. Aiken at some date later in the year.

#### The Other Colleges

Harvard's chapter of Phi Beta Kappa is to be of real service in raising the general scholastic standing of the university, according to the announcement of the year's plans of the society's scholarship service bureau.

This bureau will be open three days a week and may be consulted by any members of the

university who are finding it hard to keep up in their studies. The bureau will assign each applicant to an undergraduate advisor, chosen from a list of men who have achieved some standing in scholarship. These advisors will do no direct tutoring, but will endeavor to show men how to study and take notes in the best way and by studying with them will attempt to point out the easiest and most efficient methods of work.

According to a report recently made by the head of the department of physical culture and athletics, the Apollo Belvidere has been repeated in human form 33 times at the University of Chicago among the new men registered this year. Of the remaining 533 the defects were "traceable to too much study."

Reed College has made preliminary arrangements for an extension course to be given solely by means of educational motion pictures. A sufficient number of films is now available to carry on a course of instruction once a week throughout the year in seven sections of the city of Portland, Oregon.

Kansas University recently invented an economical way for students to attend the football games with Oklahoma and Missouri Universities, that is, by shipping them in flat cars at livestock rates. But some students thought better of the suggestion, fearing that the "stock" might be side-tracked twenty-four hours for "feed and rest" in accordance with the law.

Among the new buildings at the University of Minnesota is a "little theatre," a completely equipped playhouse with a seating capacity of about three hundred.

Vassar has taken a significant step in adding to the college curriculum courses in law and journalism. This is evidence of a belief that these two professions are now permanently open to women, who will enter these fields with increasing success.

Amherst has adopted a new system of required work in physical education. Hereafter juniors and seniors, as well as the underclassmen, must take regular exercise. A choice from the following out-door sports may be made: Rugby, football, soccer, cross-country running, basketball, tennis and golf.

A new class contest has been invented by the members of the two lower classes at Tufts, to climb the new wireless tower and place their respective class banners on the top. The first performance of the act of ascending the iron trestles is credited to members of the class of 1919. The Sophomores sought revenge, and according to the latest observations, the tower is bare of the insignia of the classes.

## Club and Council

At the last meeting of the Debating Council it was voted that participants in the Interclass and Brabbury Prize Debates should be eligible to membership in the Council.

The matter of a student forum in connection with the new Bowdoin Union, for the discussion of current events and other matters of interest to the student body, was referred to a committee of which Kinsey '16 is the chairman.

At the last meeting of the Classical Club held at the Bowdoin Club, Dyar '16 was elected president, and Oliver '17, secretary of the organization. The next meeting will be held at Professor Nixon's home this evening at 7:45.

The subject of hockey was discussed at the meeting of the Athletic Council, Nov. 15. Bartlett '17 and Irving '16 were spokesmen for the student body. Dr. Whittier made some explanation in regard to how hockey used to be conducted on the old athletic field. The main objection to having it on the athletic field is that the ice does not melt very early and for this reason it would hinder spring baseball work. The Delta was considered impracticable because of the uneven surface of the field. The space by the Library was considered as being the only place left for it.

## On the Campus

The next issue of the Orient will appear Tuesday, December 7.

Psi Upsilon has a Thanksgiving dance this evening.

A limited supply of the 1916 *Bugles* are for sale by Fuller '16.

The Classical Club will hold its first meeting of the year at Professor Nixon's.

Crane '17 has been out of college over a month but will return after Thanksgiving.

President Hyde spoke on the late Booker T. Washington at chapel vespers Sunday.

At the Cony High-Gardiner High game Saturday, Phillips '17 was referee and Wood '17 was umpire.

Drummond '16, Edwards '16, McNaughton '17 and Pike '17 attended the Harvard-Yale game Saturday.

The football letters were not awarded until last night, so the picture and election have been postponed a week.

Dean Sills and Professors Brown, Bell and Copeland were in Boston Saturday for the Harvard-Yale game.

A collection was taken at chapel, Sunday, to

provide for Thanksgiving dinners for poor families in Brunswick.

The following new men have been recently pledged by Beta Chi: Bernard '18, Caldwell '19, C. E. Stevens '19 and R. A. Stevens '19.

Regular gym begins next week, and the usual costume of white jersey, white running pants and gym shoes will be in style again this year.

Brewster '16 and Pettingill '16 assisted in coaching the Deering High School football team for the game with Portland High last Saturday.

There are exactly 400 students in the college now. This is just the number which Bowdoin is supposed to have as an example of the small college.

The Thanksgiving vacation commences tomorrow at 12.30, and will end at chapel time on Monday. The regular six weeks probation awaits those who leave early or come back late without consulting the Dean.

Freese '18 was injured in the head during the first few minutes of play in the Freshman-Sophomore football game Saturday.

The position of property man in Masque and Gown does not seem to be very popular this year, as Boratis '19 is the only candidate besides the present incumbent, Joyce '18.

Men who will be unable to return from their Thanksgiving recess at the required time may get their cuts excused by applying at the Dean's office on or before Nov. 24.

A debate was held in English 5 last Thursday as to whether the Christmas dancing should be a college or fraternity affair. The side supporting the fraternity dances won.

A large boiler which has been lying outside the old gymnasium was converted into a water tank last week and was lowered into the building. The transformation was attended by considerable noise.

Trials for the class debating teams were held in the debating room last evening. The Sophomore candidates were Norton, Matthews, Roper, Albion, Jacob, Prosser, Coombs and Joyce. Those from 1919 were Coburn, Paul, Chadbourne, Gardner, Foulke, Sprague, Atwood, McGorrell and Fay.

Track Coach Magee has received a big honor in his appointment by President Prout of the N. E. C. A. A. U. as commissioner for the State of Maine. Considerable responsibility is attached to this office as through it must go all complaints as to the ineligibility of athletes under amateur rules and the commissioner must supervise in general all amateur sport in this state. This work will be confined for the most part to ath-

letics in the four Maine colleges since few athletic contests in Maine which are not held under the auspices of one of the colleges are registered games.

#### CALENDAR

##### November

23. Psi Upsilon Dance.
- Classical Club Meeting at Professor Nixon's.
24. Thanksgiving Recess Begins, 12.30 P. M.
25. Thanksgiving Dinner at D. K. E. House.
29. Thanksgiving Recess Ends, 8.20 A. M.
- Gym Work Begins.

##### December

2. Irving Bacheller, Town Hall.

### Alumni Department

Medic '83.—Dr. James H. Syphers, one of the prominent and oldest physicians in this section of the state, died at his home on Sawyer street, South Portland, October 25, from apoplexy. Death came suddenly and unexpectedly for up until Saturday evening the doctor was apparently in the best of health. He had a spell of unconsciousness late Saturday evening, but Monday morning was brighter and apparently recovering when death came.

Dr. Syphers was born in Houlton 77 years ago. He was educated in the public schools there and later attended the Maine Medical School, receiving his diploma in the class of 1883. Twenty-six years ago he came to South Portland to make his home and had resided there since except for occasional trips to his home town in Aroostook. He had a large practice as a physician not only in South Portland but in the surrounding towns. Nearly four years ago he retired and his son, Dr. Le Roi Syphers, took over his practice.

Dr. Syphers was a 32d degree Mason. He was a member of Maine Consistory and of Portland Council, R. and S. M. He belonged to Kora Temple, O. M. S., and was a member of the Scottish Rite bodies.

He was an examining physician for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company until his retirement from active business. He was a Civil War veteran, having served in the 8th Maine Volunteers as a hospital steward and assistant surgeon. In his home life he was very genial and loving and will be greatly missed throughout the city in which he had been a familiar figure for many years.

He was married twice, his first wife being Miss Lucy York of New Brunswick. They had five children, all of whom survive, three sons, Dr. Le



Roi Scott Syphers of South Portland, Albion E. of Mars Hill, Harry J. of Stratton, N. H., and two daughters, Mrs. Henry J. Johnson of Pasadena, Cal., and Mrs. Walter J. Hersome of Blaine, Me. His first wife died in 1909 and the following year he married Miss Agnes Kelley, who survives.

'99.—Frederic Arthur Fogg, postmaster of Eliot, Maine, died Nov. 8, after a two months' illness. The cause of his death was a slow development of tuberculosis of the nerves and muscles.

Mr. Fogg was born in Saco, Oct. 12, 1876, and his preliminary education was obtained in the public schools of that city. He graduated from Thornton Academy in 1895 and received the degree of A.B. from Bowdoin in 1899. In college he was a good student and received a commencement appointment.

In 1899 and 1900 he was principal of the Portland High School during the fall and winter terms, and was head of the science department of the Cranston (R. I.) High School during the spring term. He then accepted a position with the Metropolitan Insurance Company in Providence, R. I., and during the seven years that he served the company made a splendid record. His health was poor, however, and he was obliged to give up his duties with the insurance company. Returning to Maine, he studied telegraphy and railroading and was in the service of the Maine Central Railroad at stations along the Portland line until his last illness. He has also been postmaster at Eliot, Maine, during the last five years.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Edna P. Fogg, he is survived by his mother, and by two sisters, Miss Alice Fogg, a teacher in the public schools of Saco, and Mrs. George W. Titcomb, of Saco.

'05.—Dr. Crowell C. Hall has been elected a member of the Foxcroft School Board to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Robinson C. Tobey, who has taken a position in Brunswick.

'08.—Cards reading as follows have been received: "Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lawrence Walker announce the marriage of their daughter, Anna Griffin, to Mr. George Palmer Hyde, on Saturday, the sixth of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, at the Chateau de Parc, Brooklyn, New York." The ceremony was performed by President Hyde, father of the groom, who graduated from Bowdoin in 1908 and from Harvard Law School in 1911, since which time he has been practicing in Boston.

'11.—Dr. Harrison L. Robinson, a graduate of the Medical School of Maine in the Class of 1914, has entered practice with his father, Dr. D. A. Robinson, A.B. '73, A.M. '76 and M.D. '81, of Bangor.

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## SHUMWAY FOOTBALL CAPTAIN

At a meeting of the football letter men immediately after the taking of the picture at Webber's Studio, Thursday noon, Shumway '17 was elected captain for next year. He has played quarterback position two years, winning his letter Sophomore year and playing the early season games this year until a fractured bone in the arm prevented his playing in the state series.

## ATHLETIC COUNCIL AWARDS LETTERS

The Athletic Council met before vacation and awarded the football B's. The following men received letters: Capt. Leadbetter '16, Beal '16, Brewster '16, Chase '16, Edwards '16, Foster '16, Pettingill '16, Stuart '16, Wood '16, Bartlett '17, Bradford '17, Oliver '17, Phillips '17, Stone '17,

Nevens '18, Moulton '18, Peacock '18 and Garland '16, manager. Seventeen letters were given exclusive of the manager. Nine go to Seniors, five to Juniors, and three to Sophomores.

The hockey question was taken up at this meeting and the Council voted to build such a rink as is possible with the money available.

The contracts with Mr. Houser for baseball coach were approved.

The advisability of a Freshman-Sophomore meet this winter was discussed.

## MILITARY DRILL INTRODUCED

### IN GYMNASIUM CLASSES

Regular gym work began Monday, Nov. 29, with Kimball, Ireland, Dorman and Holt as instructors and Chase '16, Nickerson '16, Cartland '16 and Cobb '17 as assistants.

A feature of the work this year is a course in military drill under the direction of Kimball, Medic '18.

The students will have neither guns nor uniforms, but infantry drill will be practiced three times a week and each man will be instructed to command small squads. This is in line with the example of several leading colleges in taking up military drill as a step toward preparedness.

## TENTATIVE BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Manager McConaughy has completed the following tentative baseball schedule, subject to the approval of the Faculty and Athletic Council:

- April 11—Harvard at Cambridge.
- April 12—Trinity at Hartford.
- April 13—(Pending)—away.
- April 14—Dartmouth at Hanover.
- April 19—Portland N. E. League at Portland (pending).
- April 22—Wesleyan at Middletown.
- April 29—Maine at Orono.
- May 6—Colby at Brunswick.
- May 17—Tufts at Brunswick.
- May 20—Tufts at Medford.
- May 24—Colby at Waterville.
- May 27—Maine at Brunswick.
- May 30—Bates at Lewiston.
- June 2—Bates at Brunswick.

### AMERICAN HISTORY PRIZE

The subject for the Class of 1875 Prize in American History, for 1915-1916, is *Eastern Maine in the War of 1812*.

This prize is awarded to the undergraduate who writes the best essay on an assigned subject, and passes a satisfactory examination in an assigned field.

The competitors will meet for a conference over the principles of criticism by which historical essays are judged, at the home of Professor Hormell tomorrow evening at 9 o'clock.

The prize essays are due on Saturday, May 27, 1916, and the examination will be held Tuesday, May 30.

### GLEE CLUB CHOSEN

The following men will compose the Glee Club of 1915-16: first basses, Fuller '16, Woodman '16 (leader), Biggers '17, Scott '18; second basses, Merrill '16, Seward '17, Joyce '18, J. Thomas '18 (soloist); first tenors, Burnham '16, Crosby '17, Chase '18, Hill '19 (soloist), R. Turner '19; second tenors, Ross '17, Harrington '18, Piedra '18, Woodman '18.

### TRIALS FOR FRESHMAN-

#### SOPHOMORE DEBATE

Trials for the Freshman-Sophomore debate were held on Monday evening, Nov. 22, in Hubbard Hall. Of the fifteen candidates from the Freshman class these men were chosen: Paul, Coburn and Foulke, with Chadbourne as alternate. Eight candidates appeared for the Sophomores and Albion, Jacob and Roper were picked, with Norton as alternate. The judges at the trials were Professors Davis and Langley and Mr. Van Cleve.

The debate will take place Monday night, Dec. 20. The judges have not yet been chosen.

### STUDENT COUNCIL MEETS

The Student Council held an important meeting on Thursday evening, Dec. 2. It voted in favor of the following: to recommend to the Athletic Committee that a track meet be held between the Freshmen and the Sophomores; that the president appoint a committee of three to draw up a motion which would provide for a student council executive session, or court; that a committee of three be appointed to draw up a recommendation to the faculty that the blanket-tax be put on term bills.

It was also moved and seconded that fencing as an intercollegiate sport be eliminated from the college list of sports. This matter was tabled un-

til the next meeting to allow further consideration of it by members of the Council and the student body. Hockey was also discussed.

Fuller '16, chairman of the Football Dance Committee, reported a surplus of \$28.26 from the football dance receipts, which was turned over to the treasurer.

The question of starting an employment bureau for students was discussed, and it was suggested that the council maintain a card index of all available positions about the town.

### BETA THETA PI DANCE

Members of the Beta Theta Pi fraternity informally entertained at their chapter house on McKean street, Wednesday evening, with a dance to celebrate the Thanksgiving recess. Mrs. M. H. Blackwell, Mrs. Frank E. Roberts and Mrs. Alfred O. Gross were the patronesses. The committee of arrangements consisted of Webber '16, Lovejoy '17 and Humphrey '17.

The guests present included Mrs. Willis E. Roberts, Miss Sadie Harrington, Miss Helen Harrington, Miss Dorothy Donnell, Miss Lucia Alford, Miss Ruth Nearing, Miss Ruth Blackwell, Miss Helene Blackwell, Miss Isabel Palmer, of Brunswick; Miss Elizabeth Purington of Topsham, Miss Marion Fogg and Miss Frances Foss of Portland.

### PORTLAND ALUMNI MEET

David W. Snow '73 was elected president of the Bowdoin Club of Portland to succeed Mayor Ingraham '95, at the annual meeting held at the Falmouth hotel last Thursday. Other officers were elected as follows: Secretary-treasurer, Edward S. Anthoine '02; executive committee, Charles H. Gilman '82, W. W. Thomas '94, H. C. Wilbur '94, L. A. Cousins '02, J. B. Drummond '07, Irving L. Rich '09 and Leland G. Means '12.

After the business of the session, Dr. F. N. Whittier and Professor William A. Moody of the college faculty addressed the gathering.

### NEW CATALOGUE PUBLISHED

The annual catalogue number of the Bowdoin College Bulletin was published last week and copies may be obtained at the Dean's office. It gives the total registration this year as 457; four hundred in the academical department and sixty in the medical school with three names counted twice.

The registration by classes is as follows:

ACADEMICAL DEPARTMENT	
Seniors . . . . .	83
Juniors . . . . .	78

Sophomores . . . . .	96
Freshmen, first year . . . . .	119
Freshmen, second year . . . . .	15
Special students . . . . .	9

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Total . . . . .	400
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## MEDICAL SCHOOL

Fourth year . . . . .	10
Third year . . . . .	11
Second year . . . . .	21
First year . . . . .	18

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Total . . . . .	60
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Total in the Institution . . . . .	460
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Names counted twice . . . . .	3
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Corrected total . . . . .	457
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There is a net total of 89 instructors as compared with 87 last year.

Academical Faculty . . . . .	29
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Medical Faculty . . . . .	66
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Total . . . . .	95
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Names counted twice . . . . .	6
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Corrected total . . . . .	89
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The interest bearing funds of the college on March 31, 1915 were \$2,264,034.14, a slight increase over the year before. The expenditures for the maintenance of the college the past year amounted to \$152,016.81.

The Charles F. Libby scholarship has been added the past year. The income of \$3,000 is to be given to a "deserving young man who is a resident of the city of Portland, and who has been educated in its public schools and who is pursuing a classical course."

Two new "Pullman courses" have been added to the curriculum. These will be open to only a limited number of Juniors and Seniors who have shown ability in the subject. They will be economics 7, a study of comparative economic history and theory, and zoölogy 10, a course in vertebrate ecology and behavior.

### TRACK AND BASEBALL MEN

The following men are taking track and baseball work in place of the regular course in physical training. Track: from 1916, Hall, Hart, Hodgkins, Ireland, Irving, Leadbetter, Moulton, Sayward and L. Webber; from 1917, Bond, Campbell, Colbath, Cormack, Crosby, Fenning, Fillmore, Marston, Oliver, Pierce, Rickard, Sampson, White and Young; from 1918, Farnham, A. S. Gray, Hamlin, Hildreth, Howard, Hurlin,

Keene, MacCormick, Peacock, Pirnie, Ripley, Savage, Simonton, Stanley, Stewart, Wyman, Young and Van Wart; from 1919, Barton, Coburn, Cole, Foulke, Hemenway, Hersum, Higgins, Holbrook, Kern, Leighton, Merrill, Mosher, Noyes, Perkins, Sprague, Sullivan, Turner and F. Warren. Baseball: from 1916, Churchill, Dyar, Fraser, Goodskye, Grierson, Head, Kelley, Larrabee, McElwee, Parsons, Stuart and Weick; from 1917, Bradford, Chapman, Humphrey and Phillips; from 1918, Donnell, Murch, Needleman, Nevens, Pike, Reynolds and Woodman; from 1919, Albert, Boratis, Butterfield, P. E. Doherty, Finn, Grover, Haines, Ham, Johnson, E. F. Larrabee, MacIninch, McCulloch, McPherson, Merrill, Pendleton, Racine, Robinson, Savage, Small, Smith, Thomas, Walker, White.



### HOUSER TO COACH BASEBALL

Dr. Whittier has announced the definite engagement of Ben Houser as baseball coach for 1916. Houser has played with the Boston Nationals and the Philadelphia Americans, and has since had considerable success coaching both college and semi-professional teams. Last spring he was at Colby. Coach Houser will visit Bowdoin occasionally during the winter to supervise the work in the cage. He will arrive for spring practice about the time of Easter vacation.



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## Bowdoin an Outdoor College

When preparatory school men or their parents begin to consider the various colleges around them, one of the important points in their choice is the outdoor life and healthy condition of the college. Brunswick is perhaps as healthy as most college towns and in many particulars is superior to the majority. But in the matter of outdoor life it is to be feared that Bowdoin men are not making the most of their opportunities. To be sure we have our football team, our baseball nine, and our various track squads, and nearly everyone plays tennis or golf, but is that enough?

The outdoor season of each of these sports in our climate is necessarily short and limited to the fall and spring months. Hockey was indeed in-

stituted last year and attracted some, but for by far the greater part of the college, winter is synonymous with indoors, pool tables, card games, the "movies," and the like. Far too often the atmosphere inside a dormitory or fraternity house room, thick with smoke or stale from closed windows in a period of extreme cold, is not of the best. Health demands pure air and an outdoor life and other colleges are fulfilling these demands.

For a prominent example of what should be, take Dartmouth's Outing Club. This club, starting with a few snow-shoe and ski enthusiasts, now includes a large proportion of the students and faculty. It has built a series of cabins on the mountain summits of New Hampshire which are easily accessible and much utilized. Every weekend, parties are organized for a trip to one of these or up some Vermont hill, and the climax is the annual ascent of Mt. Washington. Then each winter occurs the great Winter Carnival which, with its intercollegiate ski and toboggan contests and the accompanying festivities, is becoming widely known. Great enjoyment as well as better health can be derived from this sane winter life.

It may be said that we have no White Mountains to climb, but we have winter and snow and opportunities to utilize them surely exist. At least the plan is worth trying and if some of the isolated few who now enjoy snowshoeing would unite in some such manner as has been done at Dartmouth, the gain to our college life would be great and another inducement could be presented to wavering sub-freshmen. D.W.P.

## Enforcement of Undergraduate Laws

Several instances of breaking training and of actions that do not reflect credit on the college have caused the appointment of a Student Council committee to investigate means of bringing offenders to justice. The most reasonable scheme is to summon an offender before the Student Council, to let him state his case, and be subject to the decision of the Council, which sits as a jury. The Council may appoint from its own number a prosecuting attorney and the accused may be represented by a counsel for the defense if he desires. It is surely within the right of the Student Council to declare a man ineligible for repeated infringement of training rules and to enforce other reasonable punishment.

The plan is not to set up an elaborate system of espionage or to encourage tale-bearing, but to bring to tune those who openly break undergraduate laws, unwritten though some of these laws may be.



### Passing the Hat

Now comes the proposal to take a collection on the campus to obtain funds for a hockey rink. Such a collection would be against the will of the Student Council and the Board of Managers. The day of promiscuous passing of the hat is gone. If contributions may be solicited for hockey, why not for every other activity in college? Those who were here during ante-Blanket Tax days will bear witness to the continual dunning that prevailed. If our Blanket Tax does not provide sufficient funds we must increase the amount or force a larger number of men to pay the tax, but we should not revert to the old system of hat-passing.

### PSI UPSILON THANKSGIVING DANCE

Psi Upsilon held a Thanksgiving dance Tuesday evening, Nov. 23. Sprague's orchestra of Portland furnished the music for an order of twenty-four dances. The decorations were garnet and gold. Mrs. Hartley C. Baxter was the chaperone. Among the guests were the Misses Katherine Ayer, Marie Fogg, Ruth Merrill and Harriet Merriweather of Portland, Yvette Lapointe and Lorette Lapointe of Brunswick, Dorothy Bird of Rockland, Hazel Cornish of Bowdoinham, Pauline Hatch of Bath and Fay Harvey of Bangor. The committee in charge was composed of Head '16, Ross '17 and Slouggett '18.

### BETA CHI INITIATES

Beta Chi held its first annual initiation and banquet on Tuesday evening, Nov. 23, at their rooms on Cleaveland Street. White '16 acted as toastmaster and introduced the following speakers: Burnham '16, Hart '16, Maguire '17, Tuttle '17, Blake, Chase, Curran, Grant, Howard, Hurlin, Lane, Libbey and Van Wart of 1918; C. E. Stevens '19, R. A. Stevens '19 and Gordon, Medic '19.

The initiates were Bernard '18, Caldwell '19, Racine '19, C. E. Stevens '19 and R. A. Stevens '19.

### FRESHMEN FORM DEBATING CLUB

A meeting of the men who had participated in the trials for the Freshmen debating team was held on Monday, Nov. 30, to discuss the formation of a Freshmen debating society. Professor Davis suggested that three debates should be held and, if sufficient interest developed, a regular organization should then be instituted. This recommendation was adopted. It was decided that the first debate should be held Tuesday evening, Dec. 7, and that the other debates should be held at intervals of two weeks thereafter. An executive

committee, composed of McDonald, McGorriell and Fay was chosen.

The committee reported the question for the first debate as follows: "Resolved: that capital punishment should be abolished." The affirmative will be supported by Gardner and Higgins and the negative by Atwood and Cole. All Freshmen interested in this debate are invited to come to the Classical room in Memorial Hall at 7 o'clock tonight.

### THE OCTOBER QUILL

Though slender, and lacking the serious-essay type, which *should* be represented in every number, the October *Quill* is pleasingly various and balanced: the six contributions, alternately prose and verse, have each a clear individuality. "After the Dance" attains the true method and music of the sonnet. The imagery of the six opening verses keenly suggests the situation implied by the title; the rhythm, throughout, is exceptionally adequate and nicely varied. One judges that the sonnet is a form suitable for the author, and hopes that he will continue to practise it. As for short-comings: The tone of the whole is scarcely tragic enough to absorb the effect of the Poe-like "Nevermore" and "Night's deathlike pall." The line, "The laughter, beauty and the voice that pled," might easily have been so constructed as to avoid its awkward and misleading use of the definite article; and so punctuated as to forestall the reader's assumption that sounds as well as sights "vanish," in the next verse. The word "liquid" is too stale, and the word "employed" too dull, in their respective contexts. The "s" should be dropped from "Autumn's" to help reduce the excessive sibilance of the opening lines. "From a Shop Window" also shows an auspicious desire to bring poetry out of concrete experience: may our poets observe more and more from windows, including campus windows—in leisure hours. The "them's" of lines 6 and 7 easily mislead the reader into the impression that the two persons observed are companions, perhaps man and wife. But otherwise the train of observation is effectively introduced, and its climax is firmly built up. The style, however, is sometimes too stiff; whereas, on the other hand, the reader is frequently jolted into amusement by primitive errors (or proof-reading):—the punctuation of line 14, the metre of line 26, the spelling of lines 32 and 35, the grammar of line 39.

Once I heard a student remark that he cared naught for the "light-singing-mood" type of poem in college literary journals. But students are notoriously pedantic, nowadays, in their enjoyments. Shall Longfellow's "My Lost Youth,"

particularly the seventh stanza, become an ironic comment upon this neighborhood? Let us rather welcome the illuminative individual moods which struggle to shine through the timorous conventionalism of campus pleasures. Let us have plenty of "light-singing-mood" lyrics in the *Quill*,—provided the tone is true and the verse can sing. In "My Heart," the tone is true: the two-phased mood which served as inspiration is humanly familiar, yet thoroughly individualized; the cloud imagery is well conceived. But the rhythm is too formal and deliberate in its enthusiasm—like the organized cheering, now and then, at games. For example, verses 3 and 4 are almost metrical duplicates; so also verses 6 and 7, 10 and 11, 13 and 14. Captivating verse-music is more necessary in this type of poem, and more difficult to attain, than in any other.

In "The Son of an Orr" the author handles, with a certain degree of success, the aged story of the light-house that fails to light, the large approaching ship, the brave youthful rescuer, and the proud old parent. He does so by embellishing the theme with some good touches of Maine coast scenery and dialogue; by conceiving the youth as unable, at first, to rise to the occasion; above all, by featuring the character of the father. Old Orr, with his family pride, his taciturnity, his profanity, and his bandaged leg, is quite vivid. But the character is not sustained. Soon after making an unusually long speech, he utters one three lines longer. And toward the close, his rugged reality of temperament and diction degenerates into the conventional romanticism of melodrama: "The light—the light. He's saved the ship—My Peter." Last scene of all: "Peter, I am proud you are an Orr," says he, with "a world of tenderness in his eyes." Peter smiles weakly and takes his hand (we hope Peter uses the arm which is NOT broken, though why either should be broken does not appear). For Peter, too, is unwarrantably changed from what he was when first he set out, truculently, to make his father "eat that damned lie." And the two pose while the author paints a spiritual tableau by way of conclusion. The ancient plot-conception suffers, moreover, from the intrusion of the modern motor-launch. We wonder why such a boat, but of larger calibre, could not just as well have put out from Sea-cove, only fifteen miles away (where "the failure of the light had been noted"), and have thus rendered redundant Peter's gasoline heroism. In short, this piece is good in some of its details, but inadequate as a story. "Coals of Fire," on the other hand, presents a fresh and successful plot. The introduction is exceptionally good. Without wearying us,

it conveys the required information, necessarily somewhat lengthy, about Billy McCarthy's past; prepares, at the same time, the first step in the plot; and issues the atmosphere of mingled farce and sentiment which is to dominate the rest of the tale. The same aptitude for narrative compression and suggestiveness is evinced in the dialogue of the last two pages. The intervening part of the story, however, should be relieved with a touch or two of conversation, or monologue at least; here the author has missed several good opportunities. As for the title and the echo of it in the closing sentence: I can scarcely blame the writer for having fallen in love with his excellent motive-device of the hot ashes. But to force the tobacco ashes which fell on Billy's neck into a parallel with the proverbial coals of fire heaped on a man's head, is to overstrain our submissiveness to the demands of artistic unity.

It is pleasant to be reminded of the unity of the ages. Under the smile of modern science, "The Crab" fuses the tradition of the ancient animal fable with the Elizabethan propensity for elaborate and witty conceits. I like best the three sentences beginning, "He lives in mud." But I cannot see that the grotesque English of lines 9, 13 and 24 serves any purpose: it makes a witty piece less witty. Should not the *Quill* have a special department for contributions of this light and brief nature, instead of printing them promiscuously, as it is accustomed to do, amid the more ambitious contributions? A section reserved at the close for jokes, epigrams and exhortations would not only relieve the main body of the journal: it would encourage literary efforts which have otherwise no field at Bowdoin. Think of it: there is no section of our college literature devoted entirely to thoughtful laughter—except the *Bugle*. E.

#### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The collection taken at the Sunday chapel preceding the Thanksgiving recess amounted to \$29.65, providing dinners for 62 people. Marston '17 and Davey '19 distributed the dinners last Wednesday afternoon with the aid of a motor truck which was loaned by a local grocer for the occasion.

Six more men are needed for teaching classes in the Y. M. C. A. night school. The type of work is quite elementary, requiring patience, tact and persistence on the part of the men who undertake the work. The subjects of instruction are reading and writing elementary English, spelling, grammar, arithmetic, elementary American history and subjects preparing for naturalization examinations.

Bowdoin students may yet have an opportunity to hear Mr. Aiken speak on the "Earning, Saving and Investing of Money." Negotiations have been re-opened with him with the view of having him come to Brunswick early in January.

Last evening, a dinner was given for the men of the town and college in the Church on the Hill to welcome six students who are temporarily transferring their memberships to the local church.

From the present outlook it appears certain that three Christmas trees will be given by the association at Pejepscot, Maquoit and in Brunswick. A committee composed of two or three students and the same number of mill-workers to be chosen this week, will plan the Brunswick entertainment and devise some means of raising the funds necessary for the decoration of the tree. The other two trees will be privately supported.

Recently a circular letter was sent to fifty representative churches within a hundred-mile radius of Brunswick in an effort to procure opportunities for extending the deputation work of the association. Numerous responses indicate the interest in this work which is felt throughout the state. Four deputations have already been sent out, and ten or fifteen more will go during the winter.

## The Other Colleges

To acquaint the Freshman class with the aims of the college and to explain the opportunities offered by the various departments of instruction, President Faunce has arranged a series of twenty-five lectures to be given the first-year men during the course of the coming year at Brown University. The lectures are a departure from past methods and are intended to work in with the new course in "Orientation," which, beginning with this fall, will be required to be taken by all Freshmen. It is expected that under the new plan the man entering college will be given a better idea of its aims and ideals and will also be able to adjust himself more quickly to the requirements of the University.

## With the Faculty

Dean Sills entertained the Town and College Club in Portland last week. Professor Johnson read a paper. A number of the faculty were present.

Dean Sills was a delegate to the convention at St. Luke's in Portland last week to elect a successor to the late Bishop Robert Codman of the diocese of Maine.

## On the Campus

D. K. Merrill '15 was on the campus last week. Tillson '19 has left college on account of ill health.

There are 78 H's at Harvard, and 52 B's at Bowdoin.

Zeta Psi will have its Christmas dance Wednesday, Dec. 22.

Beta Theta Pi will hold a Christmas dance Wednesday evening, Dec. 22.

Morse '18 has returned to college after a successful operation for appendicitis.

The Theta Delta Chi Christmas dance will come on Friday evening, Dec. 17.

The Junior class elections were held last night, after the ORIENT had gone to press.

The election for football manager will be postponed until the Union committee is elected.

The Masque and Gown will make several trips with the Ivy play during January and February.

Frank Melcher, the janitor of Winthrop Hall, is taking a forced vacation on account of sickness.

Spaghet' made his annual round of the ends and houses last week, with his usual line of plastic art.

There will be a meeting of the ORIENT Board Wednesday afternoon to fill the vacant place on the board.

About thirty of the students left over in Brunswick enjoyed the Thanksgiving dinner at the Deke house.

Members of the Sophomore football team are requested to turn their suits in at once to J. E. Gray '18 at the Psi U house.

Tuttle has been elected to the 1917 Bugle Board as representative of Beta Chi in place of Eaton, who has left college.

The first of the series of Bible classes to be conducted in the fraternity houses by members of the faculty will be held next Sunday.

There is an article by President Hyde on "The Socializing Value of Fraternity Life" in the December number of the *North American Student*.

The Union will probably be ready after the Christmas recess. The large center lounge which had been ordered was destroyed in a railroad wreck last week.

Hemenway '19 has received an appointment to the United States Military Academy at West Point. The appointment comes from Senator Charles F. Johnson '79.

Ten major warnings and 47 minors were given out just before the Thanksgiving vacation, and altogether there are 18 men on probation. This is about the usual number of warnings.



Butterfield '19 and Finn '19 had to crawl on their hands and knees from Memorial Hall to the station as the result of a wager that Noyes '19 would not get 90 on a history exam. Noyes got 91.

A party of Bowdoin men gave a concert and entertainment at Gardiner last evening. Kelley '16, L. C. Parmenter '16, Stratton '16, Mooers '18, J. W. Thomas '18, B. Edwards '19 and R. S. Turner '19.

It is said that while Hawthorne was in college he occupied the room which is now 19 North Maine Hall. Maine has been burned out since then, and the arrangement of rooms has been changed.

Three men joined the Church on the Hill Sunday and three more transferred from their home churches. The new members are Burton '07, Longren '18, Cole '19, Leighton '19, Newell '19 and Patrick '19.

The final cast for "Mrs. Dot," the Ivy Play, has been announced. It will be the same as the provisional cast except that Churchill '16 will take the part of Nellie, Willey '17 that of Blenkinsop, and Cobb '17 will be Aunt Eliza.

The D. U.'s defeated the Kappa Sigs 8 to 7 in a thrilling tag football game on the campus near the library Saturday afternoon. Jacob '18 played a good game at fullback for the winners, while Oliver '17 was among the stars on the Kappa Sig team. This will probably be the last of the interfraternity football games this season.

A reunion of district one of Beta Theta Pi was held at Orono on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 4, at the Maine Chapter House. In the evening the annual initiation and banquet took place. The members present from the Bowdoin Chapter were Bird '16, Hall '16, Ireland '16, Leadbetter '16, Moulton '16, Webber '16, Flynt '17, Lovejoy '17, Sampson '17, Swift '17, Coombs '18, Matthews '18, Pendleton '18, McCarthy '19, McGorrill '19 and Kern '19.

#### CALENDAR

Dec.

7. 7.00. Freshman Debating Club holds first debate, Classical Room, Memorial Hall.
8. ORIENT Board Meeting.
9. 5.00. Glee Club Rehearsal.  
Henry L. Gideon and Constance R. Gideon in Lecture-Recital and Folk Songs, Town Hall.
19. Rev. Charles R. Brown, D.D., College Preacher.
20. Freshman-Sophomore Debate.
22. Zeta Psi Dance.  
Beta Theta Pi Dance.

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## ELECTION FOOTBALL MANAGER THURSDAY

The election of manager and assistant manager of football will be Thursday afternoon from 3 to 6 p. m. The candidates are: Manager, E. H. Blanchard '17 and H. S. Young '17; assistant manager, A. S. Gray '18 and T. R. Stearns '18, alternate, F. F. French '18.

## NEW RULES OF STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council at a meeting last Thursday adopted the following rules providing for the violation of student rules and customs:

### ARTICLE I.

Section 1. The Student Council may, at any time, adjourn to an executive session.

Section 2. At this session the president of the council shall preside.

Section 3. The Committee on Customs shall take charge of the matter in hand, the chairman conducting the inquiry.

Section 4. The remaining eight members of the Student Council shall constitute a body of decision, six votes being necessary for a finding.

### ARTICLE II.

Section 1. Any student violating student custom or tradition may be called before this session.

Section 2. Upon complaint of any member of the Student Council, the Committee on Customs may, at its discretion, issue this call to the person in question.

### ARTICLE III.

Section 1. The body of decision, upon reporting its finding to the presiding officer, may or may not recommend that the finding be published.

## JUNIOR CLASS ELECTIONS

The annual Junior class elections were held Monday evening, Dec. 6, with the following results:

President, James C. Oliver.  
Vice-President, William S. Cormack, Jr.  
Secretary, Paul H. McIntire.  
Treasurer, Leon W. Babcock.  
Marshal, Edward Humphrey.  
Orator, Edward C. Moran, Jr.  
Poet, Erik Achorn.  
Chaplain, Harvey D. Miller.  
Odist, Hal S. White.

Ivy Day Committee, Carl K. Ross, chairman, Edwin H. Blanchard, Frederick W. Willey, J. Burton Stride, Frank E. Phillips.

The popular man was also elected but his name will not be made public until Ivy Day.

## FENCING APPROPRIATION DIMINISHED

The Student Council has recommended to the Board of Managers that the fencing appropriation be decreased to \$15, a sum barely large enough to pay dues in the intercollegiate association. Work in fencing is still going on and it is thought that sufficient guarantees will be received to enable the team to compete in two matches away from home.

## INTERCLASS DEBATE MONDAY

After three weeks of careful practice the Sophomore and Freshman debating teams will be ready for the clash that is to take place at Hubbard Hall next Monday evening, Dec. 20. Much interest is placed in the debate as the teams have been working hard in preparation and a good exhibition of argumentation is anticipated.

The subject is, Resolved, that a college curriculum should include military training. The Freshman team composed of Coburn, Foulke and Paul, with Chadbourne as alternate, will argue on the affirmative side of the question. On the Sophomore team are Roper, Albion, Jacob, with Norton as alternate, who uphold the negative side. The coaches are Hescoco '16 for the Freshmen, and Jacob '18 for the Sophomores. The presiding officer will be Kinsey '16. In view of the timeliness of the question and the spirited discussion it is likely to produce, Manager Marston urges every man of the college to be present. The debate begins at 7.30.

## MANDOLIN CLUB CHOSEN

Final trials have been held for the Mandolin Club and the following men were chosen: first mandolins, Kelley '16 (leader), Ginty '16, Little '16, Stratton '16, True '17, Hemenway '19; second mandolins, Baxter '16, Brown '18, Freese '18, McQuillan '18, Farrar '19; tenor mandolas, Head '16, Warren '18; mandocellos, Brackett '16, St-cliffe '17; guitar, Parmenter '16, and flute, Sturgis '19.

## NEW ENGLAND ORATORICAL LEAGUE

The seventh annual contest of the New England Intercollegiate Public Speaking League will be held in Brunswick, May 4, 1916. The colleges which will be represented are Amherst, Bowdoin, Brown, Wesleyan and Williams. Bowdoin is the only member who has won more than one of the six previous contests, having three victories to her credit.

## FRESHMAN DEBATING GROUP

The first of a series of Freshman debates was held in the Classical Room, Hubbard Hall, last Tuesday evening. The subject, "Resolved, that capital punishment should be abolished," was debated by Gardner and Ingraham for the affirmative, with Atwood and Cole upholding the opposite side. McDonald acted as chairman and the audience acted as judges, awarding their decision to the negative. A short criticism was given by Hescock '16. It is intended to hold a debate once every two weeks, with some upperclassman present to criticise the speakers. The subject and teams for the next contest have not yet been decided upon.

BOWDOIN STUDENTS AND  
CONTEMPORARY HISTORY

Last Saturday I gave to my class in Latin I, consisting of four Juniors, nine Sophomores and 40 Freshmen an informal examination dealing with the names of men and places now prominent in the daily press. The questions were taken from a letter in the current number of the *Nation* by a professor in a mid-Western State University. Bowdoin students made on the whole as sorry a showing as their Western friends although one Freshman here answered all the questions correctly—something which did not happen in the West. The following tabulation of the results obtained here may be of interest and profit.

1. Where is Gallipoli? 33 knew; 20 were ignorant. It was located variously in France, Italy, Bulgaria, Greece and Berlin.

2. What is the capital of Bulgaria? 15 knew; 38 did not. Bucharest and Buda Pest were popular guesses.

3. What countries bound Serbia? 20 answered pretty well; 33 had only vague notions. Albania was perhaps the cause of the appearance of Arabia, Armenia and Afghanistan!

4. In what country is Salonica? 11 knew and 42 didn't; although no city has been more important the past fortnight. It was frequently located in Poland.

5. On what sea is Montenegro? 22 out of the

53 answered correctly. Nearly every sea in Europe and eastern Asia appeared from the Red, Black and Caspian to the Sea of Marmora.

6. Who is in command of the French army? 39 answered correctly; 14 did not know. The following were some of the disguises: Joffer, Joffery, Jaffre, Jochet, Jeffrey, Geoffrey.

7. Who is Prime Minister of England? 30 knew; 23 did not. Winston Churchill was a popular choice (6); Lloyd George and Grey had three, and Kitchener, two adherents.

8. Who is Bethmann-Hollweg? 22 knew; 31 did not. He was said to be an Austrian general, a Turkish ruler (happy guess!); a German composer (so he is!); the ruling house of Austria; Austrian ambassador at Germany—and one replied—he was a German diplomatist.

9. Who is Poincare? 42 recognized the President of a sister republic; one called him a French artist.

10. Who is Venizelos? Only nine out of the 53 knew. If all that was said of him were true, he would be having even a stormier career than has been his lot; for he appeared as an Italian general, a Spanish artist, a Mexican rebel, a cabinet minister in France, a French general, the premier of Italy, an Austrian General and a German!

11. Who is Briand? Only 11 knew. Among the 42 who failed, one called him an American leader and one an English general. What would William Jennings say to that?

12. Who is Von Hinderburg? The great general is evidently popular in America: 49 identified him; only four did not. One called him a German author.

13. General French fared nearly as well: 43 knew; only 10 failed.

14. But only 24 could place Sir Edward Grey while 29 could not. One called him an English historian; several an English general; and one evidently confusing him with the versatile Churchill answered "An English general connected with the navy."

15. "Who is Viviani?" proved the greatest stumbling-block—only four answering correctly. He was, naturally enough, frequently termed an Italian.

16. Name with proper title the ruler of Germany. All but one knew the Kaiser although he appeared more than once as Wilhelm IV.

17. The ruler of Greece. Only 23 out of 53 could name the King who is certainly not an obscure figure at the moment. One said, "King Albert rules Greece." Would he did!

18. The ruler of England. Seven out of 53 made the wrong answer. King Edward, George the Third, Fourth and Sixth are on the throne!

19. The ruler of Italy. Victor Emmanuel 29, to 24 mistakes. Albert also appeared here.

20. The ruler of Bulgaria. Only 17 were correct. One made a good shot with King Augustus.

21. The ruler of Russia. 40 knew the Czar.

In the answers to these last six questions one learned that Germany is ruled by an Emperor; Russia, by a Rajah; Greece by a Sultan and Bulgaria, by a President.

Such "a bombardment of unfortified brains," to use the *Nation's* phrase is not of course entirely fair. That one man answered all the questions correctly is to our credit, and a grade of 55 per cent., the average of the whole class, is perhaps not altogether discreditable. And yet where there is such ignorance is not there something the matter somewhere?

KENNETH C. M. SILLS

#### PROFESSOR HORMELL PUB-

#### LISHES GOVERNMENT GUIDE

The Educational Department of the State of Maine has recently published a pamphlet entitled *Guide to the Study of the Town, City, County, State and Nation*. The pamphlet is prepared and copyrighted by Professor Hormell. In a foreword by Hon. Payson Smith, State Superintendent of Schools, the purpose of the work is stated as follows: "This guide has been prepared through a special legislative resolve in order that aid may be afforded teachers in this most important duty of acquainting the youth of Maine with the facts that relate to the development of their towns and state, and with the requirements that their approaching citizenship will lay upon them." This is the first time that the State Department of Education has taken up in a systematic way the teaching of civics. The pamphlet contains practically any question that may be asked concerning the state or municipal government in Maine. It is being sent to teachers in those lines throughout the state.

The booklet numbers 76 pages. It does not contain answers to the questions asked, but outlines in general the line of study and gives sources of information that may be taken as authoritative and correct.

A number of the charts included are drawn by Edward R. Elwell '15.

Under town government the following general divisions are taken up: map and geography, his-

tory, population, industries, organization of government, services rendered by government, how the services are paid for. A chart of the organization of the Town of Brunswick is included in the booklet, Brunswick being taken as a typical Maine town.

The plan mapped out for the study of cities is more complicated, and deals with the different forms of city government now in typical United States cities. These are four in number, the "check and balance," or bicameral system, which exists in nearly all Maine cities, and which consists of two boards, usually termed aldermen and common council, and with an executive head, the mayor. A chart of the organization of Augusta shows this form. The second form of organization is the "Responsible Executive" type, illustrated by a chart of Cleveland, Ohio. Under this form, all departments are directly responsible to the mayor. A third form of government which has been adopted in many cities since 1901 is the "Commission Form," illustrated by a chart of the government of Des Moines, Iowa. The principal feature of this is the centering of power and responsibility in the council as a whole. Gardiner is the only Maine city which now has the commission form, although it has been considered in a number of others. The fourth and most recent type of city government is the "Commission Manager Form," or City Manager system, as it is often called. Dayton, Ohio, is the largest city which now has this, and a chart of Dayton shows the organization. The principal features of the city manager plan are as follows: the voters choose a commission of five or seven members. This commission chooses an expert engineer, who acts as a sort of efficient expert. He supervises all executive work. He need not be a resident of the city, and he is paid a substantial salary in most cities.

The study of city government outlined in the pamphlet takes up further political parties and their organization and financial resources, the different forms of nomination, and the method of registration and election, together with the features of the ballot.

Under the study of the city, a map of Portland is given showing how the votes were in the last municipal election.

City planning, charities, schools, fire, police, public works and public property and city finances are other main topics under the study of the city.

The same general plan is followed in the study of the county, state and nation, the different functions of the government of each being taken up.



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#### President Foster on Intercollegiate Athletics

We have read with interest "An Indictment of Intercollegiate Athletics," by President William T. Foster of Reed College in the November number of *The Atlantic Monthly*. President Foster's article is a severe criticism of the present system of collegiate athletics, which, he says, aims to win games, make money and advertise the college.

There is certainly much wholesome truth in what President Foster says. Commercialism and professionalism do exist in supposedly amateur circles. Athletic contests do take time from more strictly academic pursuits. In many colleges the condition of athletics does not reflect credit upon the institutions or upon athletics as a whole.

But does President Foster give sufficient consideration to that "indefinable something"—college spirit? His hasty treatment of this import-

ant phase of intercollegiate games is the weak place in his otherwise comprehensive argument. It is college spirit that causes such interest in extra-mural contests. That college spirit is here to stay and it will always seek expression in the support of intercollegiate athletics. President Foster or anybody else cannot do away with it; and consequently he cannot discard athletics.

The remedy for the evils portrayed so vividly is purification of the system. A reasonable amount of co-operation between faculty and students will prevent subordination of books to bleachers. A realization of the fact that victory at any price is not the chief end of games will be the death-blow to professionalism.

Our "geographically isolated community" prevents observation in many colleges and states. Our judgment is based solely upon conditions at Bowdoin. Here at Bowdoin we try to play the game fairly and squarely. Before we consent to the abolition of intercollegiate athletics we must be shown why other colleges cannot play as honestly and sincerely as Bowdoin does.

#### PRESIDENT HYDE ON PREPAREDNESS

President Hyde's letter to the *New York World*, December 7, on preparedness has attracted much favorable notice. The *Boston Herald* quotes the letter with editorial comment as follows:

#### PRESIDENT HYDE'S GOOD BLOW

Nowhere have we seen a better or a more succinct statement of the gist of the whole preparedness business than is contained in a letter published yesterday over the signature of the president of Bowdoin College, William DeWitt Hyde. "The conscience of the country demands such measure of preparedness as will defend us against aggression, fulfil our responsibilities to our neighbors, maintain our rights in treaties, and contribute to the justice and peace of the world an influence commensurate with our numbers, our wealth and our intelligence. Less is folly; more is crime. Who ever attempts to make out of differences of opinion as to what that measure is either political capital for himself or for his party is a traitor to his country and an enemy to the human race." Strong language but true, finding an echo in the conscience of many a serious citizen.

#### INTERSCHOLASTIC BASEBALL LEAGUE

A meeting of those interested in the Bowdoin Interscholastic Baseball League was held at the D. U. house Saturday afternoon, with Assistant Baseball Manager MacCormick presiding.



It was decided that the league should consist of one division of five schools. Lewiston High School, Brunswick High School, Hallowell High School, Morse High School of Bath and Thornton Academy of Saco will be represented by teams. Each of these schools sent delegates to the meeting except Morse, High, which intends to enter the league, however. South Portland High School, one of the members of last year's league, will not participate in the series next spring. Lisbon Falls High School had petitioned for a place in the league, but the petition was denied on account of their team's withdrawal in mid-season last year.

The delegates voted that the Bowdoin Baseball Association should appoint umpires for all games. It was also decided that the league should investigate the findings of the committee, appointed by State Superintendent of Schools Payson Smith, which drafted eligibility rules for all Maine preparatory schools, and that the league should conform to these rules, if possible. A tentative schedule was then drawn up. Each team is scheduled to play two games with every other team in the league, the championship to go to the school winning the largest percentage of games.

#### TRACK SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED

A meeting of the Athletic Council held Thursday, Dec. 8, approved the following schedule submitted by Manager Marston:

- Feb. 25.—Interscholastic Meet.
- March 3.—Freshman-Sophomore Meet.
- March 17.—Indoor Meet.
- April 22.—Bates at Lewiston.
- May 6.—Massachusetts Institute of Technology at Brunswick.
- May 13.—Maine Intercollegiates at Brunswick.
- May 20.—N. E. I. C. A. A. at Boston.
- May 27.—Easterns.

#### ENGLISH 5 DEBATES

The subject for the English 5 debate last Tuesday evening was: "Resolved, that compulsory military training should be instituted at Bowdoin." Proctor '16 and Moran '17 spoke for the affirmative and the negative was supported by Niven '16 and Jacob '18. This debate was in the form of a deliberative discussion. The affirmative was awarded the decision by the vote of those present. The question for the debate this evening will be: "Resolved, that Secretary Garrison's plan for military reorganization should be adopted." Moran '17 and Marston '17 will uphold the affirmative and the negative speakers will be Bowdoin '17 and Lane '17.

#### GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

All applications for the Longfellow and Charles Carroll Everett Scholarships should be made in writing and sent to President Hyde before the end of the semester.

In accordance with the vote of the faculty, the John F. Hartley Scholarship will probably be divided into four undergraduate scholarships, but very exceptional reasons might induce the faculty to grant it as a graduate scholarship. Applications for the Hartley Scholarship should be made in writing and handed to President Hyde.

#### 1916 CALENDAR

The Bowdoin calendar for 1916 appeared last week and is receiving much praise. The cover, which is of white limp leather, has an insert of the Art Building front with a polar bear and the Bowdoin seal on the right. The cuts inside are unusually good, especially the buildings and athletic teams. A new feature is the replacing of the pictures of the various fraternity houses by those with more action. One of especial interest is that of Webber '16 and Savage '18 clearing the hurdles. The calendar was printed by George Frye & Co. of Philadelphia and may be obtained from Foster '16 or Sampson '17.

#### COLLEGE PREACHER SUNDAY

The second college preacher, Rev. Charles R. Brown, D.D., of Yale University, is to speak here December 19. Dr. Brown is well known both as a writer and speaker. He received the degree of A.B. from the University of Iowa in 1883 and of S.T.B. from Boston University in 1889. From 1896 to 1910 he acted as pastor of the First Congregational Church of Oakland, California, two years ago becoming Dean of the Yale Divinity School.

#### INTERSCHOLASTIC DEBATING LEAGUE

The questions for the Interscholastic Debating League have been decided upon. According to present schedule, on Feb. 25 Edward Little High School will debate Lewiston High School at Auburn or Lewiston, and Portland High School will debate Cony High School at Portland on the question: "Resolved, that the United States government should take definite steps to bring about the organization of a Pan-American union." At the same time Brunswick High School will debate Lisbon Falls High School at Lisbon Falls and Biddeford High School will debate Westbrook High School at Westbrook on the question: "Resolved, that the plan for military reorganization recently formulated by Sec. Garrison should be adopted." The winners of these preliminary de-

bates will compete in the final debate at Brunswick about April 20. The schools have not yet chosen sides on the questions but will do so this week.

#### BOWDOIN INVITED TO SEND DELEGATE

Bowdoin was invited to send a student delegate on Henry Ford's peace expedition to Europe. The offer was refused. The delegate was to have been chosen after the manner of the Rhodes scholar, namely, that the man should be a leader in athletics and scholarship. Similar offers were extended to other colleges, some of which accepted.

#### STANDING COMMITTEES OF

##### STUDENT COUNCIL

President Leadbetter has appointed the following standing committees of the Student Council:

Rally—Dunn '16, chairman; Fuller '16, Ireland '16.

Music—Fuller '16, chairman; Foster '16, Fraser '16.

Customs—Garland '16, chairman; Foster '16, Marston '17.

Celebrations—Sayward '16, chairman; Fraser '16, Ireland '16.

### Club and Council

The Ibis held its first open meeting of the year at the Deke house Friday evening. Ripley L. Dana, a prominent Boston lawyer, gave an interesting and instructive talk on the Plattsburg military camp, including many personal experiences of unusual interest.

A meeting of the Biology Club was held last Thursday evening at the home of Dr. Copeland. A short business meeting was first held at which plans were discussed for another meeting of the club to be held Jan. 17, 1916, at which Dr. Parker will be a speaker. Details of this meeting will be announced later. A discussion of the topic, "The Nature of Study in Summer Camps," was then held under the leadership of Dr. Copeland, Irving '16 and Kinsey '16.

### The Other Colleges

A bank to be managed entirely by students will be opened at Wesleyan University about the middle of December. The project is an experiment by the American Bankers' Association, and if it proves successful, it is expected that similar banks will be founded in other colleges and universities of the country. At the start the Wesleyan bank will be only a savings organization,

but if the students support the enterprise, it will become a commercial bank handling checking accounts. No interest will be paid until the success of the new bank is assured.

After giving the matter of undergraduate English long consideration, Harvard has issued an ultimatum to its students. In the future those men who persist in using faulty English in the written work of any course will be required to take a special course in grammar before they can be reinstated in the good graces of the college office.

As part of the reconstruction under the new administration of Dr. John Henry McCracken, at Lafayette College, a new system of governing the absences from college exercises has been installed. The new system limits the number of absences. If a student exceeds this number, he is dropped from the rolls of the college. Absences from daily chapel are recorded as half absences, and from Sunday chapel service as a double absence.

### On the Campus

The Masque and Gown picture was taken at Webber's, Friday afternoon.

The Junior class pictures will be taken by Webber after Christmas vacation.

Alpha Delta Phi and Theta Delta Chi will have Christmas dances Friday, Dec. 17.

The Monday Night Club held its first meeting of the year at the Deke house last night.

Gerald S. Joyce '18 was elected to the Orient Board at a meeting of the board last Wednesday.

Psi Upsilon and Delta Kappa Epsilon will have a Christmas dance at the Psi Upsilon house, Monday, Dec. 20.

Zeta Psi, Beta Theta Pi, Kappa Sigma and Delta Upsilon are to hold their Christmas dances Wednesday, Dec. 22.

The Sunday chapel services were devoted to an appreciation of the work of the late English poet, Stephen Phillips.

Elliott '16 is delegate to the initiation of the Beta Kappa chapter of Kappa Sigma at New Hampshire State College.

Captain Shumway has posted a notice requesting all those intending to take winter football in place of regular gymnasium work, to hand in their names to him at the D. K. E. house.

President Hyde, Professor Langley, Kinsey '16 and Cole '19 were among the speakers at the College Men's supper held in the First Parish Congregational Church vestry, Monday evening, Dec. 6.

Professor Files has recently offered a prize of

ten dollars to the member of the Girls' Agricultural Clubs of the University of Maine who exhibits the best canned products at the annual meeting of the Maine Seed Improvement Association.

Last Friday evening all the members of Kappa Sigma joined in observing Founders' Night. A minstrelsy was formed extempore, composed of Freshmen and Sophomores. The performance concluded with some recitations of prose and poetry suitable for the occasion.

#### CALENDAR

December

16. Football Manager Election.
17. Alpha Delta Phi Dance.  
Theta Delta Chi Dance.
19. Rev. Charles R. Brown, D.D., College Preacher.
20. Freshman-Sophomore Debate.  
Psi Upsilon Christmas Dance.
22. Zeta Psi Dance.  
Delta Upsilon Dance.  
Kappa Sigma Dance.  
Beta Theta Pi Dance.

#### Resolutions

##### BOWDOIN CHAPTER OF DELTA UPSILON

It is with deep regret that the Chapter learns of the death of Brother Frederic Arthur Fogg of the Class of 1899. In the Chapter he proved a true brother; in the College a congenial associate, a capable scholar, and one who had an active interest in both its athletic and social life. The years since his graduation have found him efficient as teacher and of sterling worth as a business man. The last years of his life were afflicted with the malady which blighted his business prospects and eventually took him from us. Throughout his illness he displayed the cheerfulness and fortitude which ever endeared him to all.

Therefore we express our sorrow at his death and our heartfelt sympathy to those bound to him by ties of family and friendship.

For the Chapter:

JOHN DOANE CHURCHILL,  
EUGENE MERRILL GILLESPIE,  
WILLIAM WAGG SIMONTON.

#### IN MEMORIAM

The Bowdoin Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi mourns the death of Brother Frank Sewall, one of the oldest surviving members of the chapter, of the class of 1858. He was a type of all the fraternity ideals,—in scholarship, in good fellowship, in loyalty, and in high character. We shall

keep his memory green by continuing to sing, as a whole generation of Alpha Deltas before us have sung, the song, one of the jolliest in our collection, which he wrote when a student at Bowdoin.

THE BOWDOIN CHAPTER OF ALPHA DELTA PHI.

#### Alumni Department

'59.—At a recent meeting of the Directors of the Old Folks' Home Association the following appreciation was put on record as a tribute to the late Dr. Alfred Mitchell:

The Directors of the Old Folks' Home Association of Brunswick desire to place on record their appreciation of the services of the late Dr. Alfred Mitchell, the president of the association since its organization. Always interested in promoting any cause that furthered the welfare of the town, Dr. Mitchell supported actively and earnestly the work of the Association and gave freely of his time and advice. Courteous, urbane, kindly, endowed with gentle humor, and with the grace and the tolerance that comes from long experience, and admittedly for many years the first citizen of Brunswick, the doctor was an ideal presiding officer for a society whose aim is to make Brunswick a happier and pleasanter place for the aged and infirm; and the directors spread this minute on their records with affectionate pride and gratitude.

'61.—Fabius M. Ray, lawyer, judge, poet, died at his home in Westbrook on November 23. Born in East Windham on March 30, 1837, he secured his early education in the common schools of his native town, and attended the Norway Liberal Institute for one term. He was forced to leave school and earn his own living, working for a few years in the office of the Norway *Advertiser* and at the same time fitting himself for college. He graduated from Bowdoin in the class of 1861, but his career as a student did not end then, for he was a great reader and a student all his life. While at Bowdoin he wrote the first of hundreds of articles for the press of the state. Both in college and in after life he was an intimate friend of Thomas Brackett Reed '60 and of General Joshua L. Chamberlain '52, who was a professor at Bowdoin while Mr. Ray was a student. Afterwards Mr. Ray was an ardent supporter of both of these men in their campaigns for political offices.

After leaving college he made a tour abroad, upon which he spent considerable time at Heidelberg and Geneva. Returning to this country, he studied law, but soon became interested in the ministry and attended a theological school. He



did not graduate, and resumed the study of the law. He was admitted to the bar, and during all the years of his professional career attained a gratifying degree of success; his knowledge of the law was great and his ideals were high. In 1871 he was sent to the Legislature as representative from Westbrook; in 1883 and 1884, he served as the judge of the Municipal Court of Westbrook; and in 1884 he was elected to the State Senate. He was always a strong Republican, but did not again accept a nomination for political office.

Mr. Ray was the last of the three poets of the class of 1861. To him poetry was not a vocation but an avocation, but he wrote graceful verse, and published his poems. He was planning to attend the reunion of his class next June, and his death reduces the number of the surviving members of that class to twelve.

'85.—John A. Peters of Ellsworth has formed a law partnership with Harry L. Crabtree, formerly of New York, under the firm name of Peters & Crabtree, with offices in Ellsworth.

'87.—Col. Edward C. Plummer of Bath, a leading lawyer who has specialized in admiralty and is well known as a former successful newspaper man, has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for representative to Congress from the second district.

'97 and '90.—J. E. Rhodes, 2d, '97, Examiner of Claims, Compensation and Liability Department of the Travelers Insurance Company, delivered on Nov. 9 the first of a series of lectures on the general subject of "Workmen's Compensation Insurance" to be given by prominent insurance men to the students of The Insurance Institute of Hartford, Conn. His subject was "The Case for Workmen's Compensation." Among the lectures to be given later in the course is "The Administration of Compensation Laws" by G. B. Chandler '90, Compensation Commissioner of the First District of Connecticut.

'94.—C. A. Flagg, librarian of the Bangor Public Library, has been appointed by Governor Oakley C. Curtis a member of the Maine Library Commission, succeeding Dr. George T. Little '77, deceased.

'13.—The engagement of Miss Harriet Edna Rice and Verd R. Leavitt, both of Hartford, Conn., has been announced. Mr. Leavitt is at present the Hartford representative of Bertron, Griscam & Co.

'14.—Robert T. Weatherill has accepted a position with the Du Pont Powder Co. of Wilmington, Del., in their high-explosives department, being stationed at Gibbstown, N. J., where they have enormous high-explosive works.

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—*Drape Delphic*

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## FOOTBALL MANAGER ELECTIONS

The elections last Thursday afternoon resulted in the choice of E. H. Blanchard '17 as football manager, and A. S. Gray '18, assistant manager.

## FULLER CHOSEN READER

Trials were held Friday afternoon for reader of the musical clubs. Fuller '16 was chosen again this year by the vote of the judges, Dr. Burnett, Dr. Bell and Kelley '16.

## WINTER FOOTBALL TO START JAN. 4

Winter football practice in the Athletic Building is to commence immediately after vacation under the direction of Captain Shumway. Emphasis will be placed this year on tackling the dummy and receiving of forward passes. There will be two squads, meeting at 4.30 three times a week each. The following men will substitute this work for regular gym classes: From 1916, Brewster, Leadbetter; from 1917, B. Bartlett, Campbell, Corbett, McNaughton, Oliver, Peacock, Pike, Shumway, Stone; from 1918, Atkins, Babbitt, Berryman, McQuillan, Needleman, Peacock, Sandford, Stewart, B. Thomas, Young; from 1919, Canavello, Ewer, Fay, Hanson, Holbrook, Kern, Merrill, Morrison, Small, Sprague and Sproul.

## QUILL BOARD ELECTION

The annual election of the *Quill* Board, held last week, resulted in the selection of the following new men as associate editors: Forbes Rickard, Jr., '17, M. T. Atkins '18 and H. T. Mooers '18.

## FENCING CANDIDATES

Hargraves '16 has been elected captain-manager of the fencing team. The schedule has not been completed but matches will be held with Harvard and Springfield Y. M. C. A. College, Jan. 21. C. L. White of Haverhill, Mass., has again been engaged to coach the team. The following have reported as candidates besides Captain Hargraves: Irving '16, Leadbetter '16, Keene '17, Gray '18, Hanson '18, Mooers '18, Peacock '18, Schlossberg '18, Hargraves '19, McCarthy '19 and Stephens '19.

## RELAY WORK BEGINS

Twenty men have been picked for the relay squad and there is a possibility that more may be added after Christmas. Work before Christmas has been simply to get the men in condition, ready for the fast work that will come immediately after vacation.

There are in college three veterans of last year's victorious team, which won five races. They are Hall '16, Crosby '17 and Pierce '17. Other men out for the team are: Ireland '16, Sayward '16, Webber '16, Bond '17, Gray '18, O. Hamlin '18, Pirnie '18, Savage '18, Simonton '18, Van Wart '18, Wyman '18, Barton '19, Gardiner '19, Hemmenway '19, Noyes '19 and P. Turner '19.

It is probable that the team will be crippled by Savage's illness with bloodpoisoning, although he may be in shape by the latter part of the season.

The schedule has not yet been announced, other than that Bowdoin will compete in the Maine championship race at the B. A. A. Feb. 5. Bowdoin has received invitations to compete in other meets.

## IMPORTANT RULINGS OF M. I. C. A. A.

The executive committee of the Maine Intercollegiate Athletic Association held a meeting in Waterville Saturday.

The University of Maine petitioned that the rule be changed that provided that the state meet go in rotation to the four Maine colleges. The petition asked that the place of the meet be determined by the executive committee. It was moved that "Each college shall hold the annual track and field meeting in rotation as stated in article XIII, section 4, provided the college whose turn it is to hold said meeting has a suitable track. Decision on this point to be made by the executive committee each year."

It was moved that the rules of the M. I. C. A. A. govern all relay racing in which the colleges of said association take part, except those conditions expressly stated in the A. A. U. rules.

Changes in the cross-country scoring rules, to agree with the New England rules, were proposed as follows: "Each competing member of the association shall have scored against it the total of points tallied by the first five contestants

competing for such member and every contestant shall be scored in the place he finishes." This change cannot be voted on until the annual convention in February.

Chase '16, manager of last year's track team, is secretary of the association.

#### ENGLISH 5 DEBATE

The debate in English 5 last Tuesday evening was of special interest as the subject was the same as that of the Intercollegiate League debates to be held in March. The question was, "Resolved, that Secretary Garrison's plan for military reorganization should be adopted." The affirmative was supported by Marston '17 and Moran '17, and the negative by Bowdoin '17 and Lane '17. The decision was awarded to the negative.

#### UNION TO OPEN

The Bowdoin Union is rapidly nearing completion and the prospects are bright for the opening in January. Soon after the close of the Christmas vacation, the Board of Governors will be elected. This board will consist of two Seniors, two Juniors and a Sophomore, elected by the student body, and two faculty members chosen by the Student Council. A lively housewarming will be held soon after the selection of the Board of Governors.

#### THE NOVEMBER QUILL

Each of the individual contributions to the November *Quill* exhibits a worthy aim and commendable ingenuity. *The Fallen Forest* makes perhaps the most definite impression, *The Song of Songs* the least; but each composition has and in a measure makes a point. If *O Yearning*, *Formless*, *Vain!* exhibits the least and the least effective ingenuity, the intrinsic vagueness of its theme may be pleaded in extenuation of the failure. All in all, if the students of Bowdoin may be judged by the *Quill*, thinking, conceiving, and remaining alert and hospitable to non-curricular impressions are virtues practiced at the College.

But suggestions as to improvement are most clearly in order from a reviewer. *The Fallen Forest*, to take the contributions in order, makes too swift and violent a descent from ruin and murder to pleasant hearthfires; it too blandly pardons the woodman for not sparing the tree. The point of view is first philosophic, then, abruptly, economic. The transition is possible, to be sure, but it is not a sonnet-like transition such as the writer's space allowance requires. In the verses there are also defects like the unanalyzable open-

ing sentence, the confusion of pronouns in the lines about "Cascas," and the anatomical and domestic monstrosity of a "home" with several "hearts;" these are more than typographical errors. Of a more venial nature is the obscurity of two statements which become thoroughly expressive when punctuated as one:—

"Beauty and strength  
That found its source in Nature's freest gifts—  
The sun, the rain, and breath of halcyon days,  
The voice and sweeping anger of the storm—  
By man is ruined, who is lord of all."  
Throughout the stanzas, however, there is a vividness to the thought and a melody to the lines which makes quoting them a pleasure. The writer should find the sonnet form worth attempting.

In *Marie or the Dog*, clever and circumstantial as it is, an unnecessary amount of machinery is provided. Not only is the "hack-writer" device superfluous (and incredible!), but Jim Montague does not justify his existence. His intrusion produces the grotesque result of having the story proper retailed to us at *third* hand; the dog incident has to be related by Ben to Charley, by Charley to Jim, and by Jim to the reader!

*O Yearning*, *Formless*, *Vain!* exhibits the fatal effect of an inspiration consisting of one line. That first line, repeating the title, is panoramic. But, alas, the difficulty of developing the idea! Thought, words and meter, while fairly well adjusted in the first stanza, produce obscurity in the second, and incomprehensibility in the third. Surely the purposes of art are not served by making the poem an illustration rather than an expression of its theme. Notwithstanding, however, the ineffectiveness of the entire composition, that first line lingers on the ear; perhaps it should have been laid away in the dark for a season.

*College Poetry and Poets* is welcome as an attempt to explain rationally and thoroughly a baffling reality. It displays concentrated thinking and skill in organization. Its chief need is that of pruning. "The reason for this lack of interest can be assigned to various causes" and "In the view of the foregoing discussion, the prime defects of college poetry seem to lie, etc.," though excusable in a first draft, carry too much dead wood for a final one.

The *Translation of Horace's Ode to Pyrrha* is sadly marred by the omission of three interrogation marks, two in the first stanza and one in the third; by the barbaric "will't"; by the slangy "true blue" and the prosaic "have done my share." Correctly punctuated the first stanza is excellent. The remaining stanzas, except for one or two lines, leave much to be desired.

The compression and swiftness of *The Song of Songs* are its most praiseworthy features; beginning, middle, and end are all contrived to heighten the effect of the catastrophe. But the tale is hardly a worthy revival of a worn theme. As to the musical *motif*, however, with the sheaf of coincidences which it must bind together: Surely a valuable effect was lost by not having the drunkard's very entrance heralded by at least a strain of the *Prelude Religieuse*. The device is simple, it would have occasioned no alarm; moreover, by this means the note of the narrative might have been struck more promptly.—Better twenty Rovers mad with shaving soap than this method of providing unity and stirring emotion. Beside it, mere errors like "confident" (= "confidant") and "let me alone officer," are calming to contemplate.

What finally is the significance of these various criticisms? Is it not that in expressing his happy inspiration each workman has faltered? In small matters and in larger ones, each has constructed less well than he knew, less well than he will construct again. The November *Quill* is the work of "apprentices" in "the greatest of arts, the art of literature," as the author of *College Poetry and Poets* says. And writing and publishing carried on in the spirit of the final paragraph of his essay, in the spirit of the contributors to this issue, cannot be misdirected. The criticisms may all be summarized in terms of the tempting line already referred to:—Yearning, formless, vain? Yes; yes and no; and no! W. H. D.

#### REPORT ON STUDENT CAMPS

The report of the advisory committee of university presidents on the summer military instruction camps for students commends them highly. President Drinker of Lehigh states that, as president of the National Reserve Corps, he will be glad to give any further information in regard to these camps to students thinking of attending them next summer.

##### ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT

November 17, 1915.

These camps have now been in operation for three successive summers. In their growth and admirable management during the past two summers of 1914 and 1915, they have more than fulfilled the expectations of those endorsing them, based on the first year's experience in the summer of 1913. The camps of 1913 and 1914 were held before the breaking out of the great war abroad, which has brought into greater prominence than before their value to the nation.

We repeat the hearty endorsement given in our reports on the camps held in 1913 and 1914. This year they were visited by a number of the members of our committee, and the committee as a whole has given attention and thought to their educational usefulness in the summer season.

The students attending are under careful oversight. The excellence of food, sanitation and medical care has been well maintained. The students have an ideal five weeks outing, pleasurable and beneficial to them; and the instruction, drill, cavalry exercises, field manoeuvres, field surveying and field work generally, give them in the continuous five weeks training an insight into military matters. They are, in addition to this regular work, given ample time for recreation and rest.

We commend the camps to the authorities and students of the universities and colleges of the country. We believe that the training and instruction which the students attending receive not only emphasize the dangers and losses of wars lightly and unpreparedly entered into, but we also believe that the training given is excellent, and a great benefit, mental and physical, to the students attending.

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## A Permanent Manager

The problem of managers for athletic teams is a vital one. The only test to which a manager is put is a few months of physical work during the early part of his course. He is then elected assistant manager and eventually manager. No mental test is required. The manager may have unlimited ability or he may be unusually slow-thinking.

The proposal of a permanent manager, preferably a graduate manager, has always been turned down with scant consideration because it is felt that Bowdoin cannot afford the salary a graduate manager could demand. But if the time ever does come when we can afford to pay a graduate to manager the financial side of our games, to arrange the schedules and make preparations for

home games, we should not hesitate to employ him. Under the present system, each sport is under a new man each year. His mistakes may easily be repeated by his successor; and they often are. The fault is not solely that of the managers, but of the system. They simply lack the business and technical training. We think that nobody would be quicker to recommend a permanent manager than those who have themselves managed teams in years past.

## College vs Fraternity Dances at Christmas

A debating class has recently argued upon the merits of a college dance at Christmas over dances in the various fraternity houses. We believe that the fraternity dances at this time should be merged in one college dance. During the football season we held forth at length upon the desirability of a college dance at Christmas rather than after the Maine game, because the dance prevented a good opportunity to interest sub-Freshmen in Bowdoin. The logical time for a college dance, if we are to have one during the fall, is at Christmas. The dance interferes with nothing except the routine college work, and fraternity dances do that. Let the college dance be at Christmas. If the fraternities want dances, they can have them at Thanksgiving.

## The Flood

The present flooded condition of the campus is but mild prophecy of inundations to come. The draining system is insufficient to carry off melting snow and ice, even at this time, and when spring comes we will again be forced to sit in the drafts of Adams and Memorial trying in vain to keep back the snuffles that come with wet feet and consequent colds. Why doesn't the college invest in a set of board walks to bridge the deepest channels? The cost would not be exorbitant and the services of a pontifex maximus would not be required. That George Rogers Clark and his backwoodsmen waded through icy waters up to their middles is no proof that wet leather is conducive to regular attendance at chapel. The idea that the student is a healthy young animal immune to discomfort cannot be established as fact by the most elaborate syllogism.

## ALUMNI ISSUE OF THE ORIENT

The next issue of the ORIENT, which will appear January 11, will be a special alumni issue, double size. A committee of the faculty are co-operating with the Board to produce a number of interest to the many alumni who do not see the



ORIENT regularly, and brief reviews will be given of the athletic situation the past year, fraternity and social affairs, and the condition of the college in finances and buildings. This number is to be sent to every living alumnus of the college.

#### DR. HOWE FAVORS MILITARY EDUCATION

Dr. Lucien Howe '70 of Buffalo, N. Y., has published in pamphlet form an article entitled "A Brief for Military Education in Our Schools and Colleges." This article originally appeared in the *Journal of the Military Service Institution*. Dr. Howe is a member of the Royal College of Surgeons of England, fellow of the Royal Medical Society, and is professor emeritus of Ophthalmology at the University of Buffalo. His article is interesting and is brief and to the point.

He says in substance: Military education would develop the individual better than our present educative system does. The present system is conducive to spinal curvature, near-sightedness and many communicable diseases. Military education tends to remedy physical weaknesses and gives instruction concerning prevention of disease. We should proceed by obtaining the co-operation of leaders among the educated public, by teaching the teachers, by establishing a more thorough medical supervision over our schools and by encouraging out-door life. The government military camps for college men constitute a valuable form of out-door life and give physical and mental training. Military education in general fosters physical training, ambition, self-control, obedience to authority, self-sacrifice, good manners and efficiency. Military education would provide the country in time of war with an army of trained men, at the rate of about 400,000 men a year.

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Report of Manager of the Bowdoin Publishing Company for year 1914-1915.

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#### AGE FOR COLLEGE ENTRANCE

The following article by Dr. Henry Louis Smith, President of Washington and Lee University, is taken from the *New York Times*:

To parents endeavoring to find out whether

their sons are "old enough" to go to college and "ready" for college work, a few suggestions born of long experience may be helpful.

First: A boy is "old enough" to go to college when he is mature enough to control his own actions and spend wisely his own money. Ordinarily this age is reached at about 18, sometimes at 17, not often earlier than the latter age, and frequently not till the young man is 20 or 21. A boy who must be "made" to go to bed and to get up in time for breakfast, "made" to go to school each morning and to prepare his lessons each evening, and who cannot be trusted to spend his own pocket money, is not "old enough" to go to college, whatever may be his age, height, weight, and company manners.

Second: A boy is "ready" to undertake the difficulty of college studies when he has learned to study his daily lessons resolutely without any compulsion and has successfully completed a good high school course consisting of four years of study after finishing the regular lower grammar or graded school.

Of course, a boy of unusual ability, maturity, and resolute determination, who cannot have access to a four year high school, might wisely go on to college and enter the race with inadequate preparation. Difficulties to such men are a stimulus rather than a discouragement. But the ordinary high school student has no conception of the difficulty of college courses. His attempt to "save" a year may involve a vain and hopeless effort to keep up, then the despairing relinquishment of further useless labor, and the idleness which is so often the open gateway to moral deterioration.

Thorough preparation makes university study congenial, successful, and inspirational; allows leisure for athletics, social life, and outside literary work, and gives that sureness and self confidence so necessary to success in life. When to intellectual preparation are added vigorous health, correct habits, and a strong personality, a young man's success in his college course is practically assured.

#### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Ten members were present at the meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Cabinet at the Deke House. Campbell '16 reported that 99 Freshmen have signed membership cards. This is over 80 per cent. of the total number of new men.

A new plan of meetings will be inaugurated with the new year. There will be no student-led meetings this year. Instead, there is to be a series of from five to seven meetings at the houses of various professors, between Jan. 9 and

March 23. Professors Elliott, McClean and Langley, with Dr. Goodrich of the First Parish Church, will conduct the classes this year. There will be no discussion groups, but two hours preparation will be required as in other college classes.

The committee for investigating the Hiwale Mission recommended a change in the policy of the Y. M. C. A. mission work. Instead of confining itself to one cause, the Y. M. C. A. will probably start a cycle of missions, supporting one cause each year. This cycle will be made up of such missions as an American Hospital in France, Polish Relief, Dr. Grenfell's Mission in Labrador, and the Hiwale Mission in India.

Last Tuesday night a number of college fellows went to Pejepscot Mills to organize a boys' club. An entertainment was given, consisting of an instrumental trio, vocal quartet and Charlie Chaplin stunts. The proposed club will embody ideas from the Boy Scouts and the Knights of King Arthur.

There will be a Christmas tree at Pejepscot Mills this (Tuesday) afternoon, in charge of Chapman '17. Yesterday afternoon a tree was given for the school children of Maquoit.

### The Other Colleges

Students of 123 universities and colleges in the United States are under the "honor system," according to a bulletin just issued by the United States Bureau of Education. Of these, 37 per cent. are situated east of the Mississippi and south of Mason and Dixon's line; 4 per cent. are in New England, only 6½ per cent. are for women, while 65½ per cent. are co-educational.

Of the many colleges which claim to have started the honor system, Virginia has been almost universally credited as the originator, but William and Mary College is declared to have had a form of honor system in 1779. The honor of establishing the system has also been claimed by the University of South Carolina. Of the larger universities, Princeton, Yale, Cornell and Washington and Lee have adopted the system. Theological seminaries and certain military schools are cited as institutions where peculiar conditions militate against the adoption of the honor system. Those aspiring for the priesthood are of such good character that they do not require the honor system. Furthermore, a breach of honor in a military institution is considered so serious that the honor system is not needed. Brown University, Trinity, Vassar and Ohio University frankly oppose the system.

Coach Murphy of Northwestern University introduced an innovation by directing his football team by telephone. He was barred from the coaching lines by the new western conference rules, so he directed the movements of the squad from a high seat in the grandstand.

Plans for the formation of a company of heavy artillery among Yale undergraduates and men in the graduate department, have been announced as a part of the plan for national preparedness. The battery will be recruited to 138 men, and army officers will be detailed to drill the men. The university will contribute \$30,000 towards providing barracks, and the Connecticut National Guard will furnish guns, equipment and mounts to the value of \$135,000.

Columbia recently received the smallest gift ever received by a college and also the largest individual gift ever made to the University. The first gift was the amount of two dollars, given by a former student, and the other, one of several millions, is the bequest of Mr. A. Eno. The latter bequest is being contested by relatives of the deceased.

Michigan Agricultural players are said to have brought something new into football. The facetious say that they wear corsets, but the players call them form-fits. They are worn by the backs and ends, both for protection and as an aid to shake off tacklers.

A Riefler clock, the most accurate timepiece known to science, has been imported from Munich, Germany, by the University of California. The clock is sealed in two air-tight cylinders and it registers the hour to the one-hundredth part of a second.

A girls' barber shop is the latest innovation at Northwestern University. It is conducted by four girls and is immensely popular with the gentlemen of the institution. The purpose is to secure funds for a woman's building with a gymnasium.

Brown's experiment with denatured fraternity rushing has been attended with disastrous results. An agreement which was designed to do away with the evils attendant upon pledging men before they had an opportunity to become acquainted did that and something more. It gave to some fraternities twice as many new members as they really wanted and to other fraternities no members at all. Nobody is satisfied with the arrangement, and some radical change will have to be made.

In accordance with a recent ruling at New Hampshire State College, students presenting a diploma showing that they have completed a four years' high school course, will be admitted with-

out further certification or examination. This change, it is believed, will greatly increase the number of college men and women in the state, and it is but a step to make the whole state school system from primary grade to the college at the disposition of the average boy and girl.

#### BOWDOIN MEN IN THE WAR

At least three Bowdoin men have been engaged in the present European war, while a fourth, Frank A. Smith '12, has, as announced in last week's ORIENT, received an appointment in the Harvard unit for service in the medical corps of France, and sailed Nov. 17.

Everett Birney Stackpole '00 has been in the hottest part of the fighting. He enlisted in the Princess Patricia regiment, which was practically annihilated in the fighting in Flanders. He was wounded and lay some time in the hospital but has now returned to the trenches in France. During his undergraduate course here Stackpole was a debater and was awarded Phi Beta Kappa honors. After graduation he studied law at Harvard and Columbia and later practiced in Seattle, Wash. He was born in Lisbon, Maine.

Murray Cushing Donnell '08 is now an officer in the English army and is in the trenches in France. His home is in Houlton and he secured an officer's commission in a Canadian regiment. After graduation he studied law at the University of Michigan, and practiced at Atlanta, Ga.

The third man who has seen actual service is Samuel Horton Colton, Jr., ex-'17, of Worcester, Mass. Colton left college in February and for eight months has been an ambulance driver in France. He is well known to the present undergraduate body.

#### With the Faculty

Dr. Whittier will present the annual report of the New England Colleges at the meeting of the National Intercollegiate Athletic Association in New York City, Dec. 28.

On Dec. 29, in New York, Dr. Whittier is to read a paper entitled "Limitations of the Work of the College Gymnasium Director," before the American Society of College Gymnasium Directors.

#### On the Campus

The meeting of the Classical Club has been postponed to Jan. 6.

It is reported in the newspapers that Colby faces a deficit of over \$1100 in track athletics for the past year.



The classes in English for foreigners are progressing well. Two classes are held each week and about forty mill-hands are attending regularly.

The usual probation penalty is again inflicted for cuts two days before or after the Christmas recess. Applications for extra time must be made to the Dean in writing.

#### CALENDAR

December

- 22. Zeta Psi Dance.
- Delta Upsilon Dance.
- Kappa Sigma Dance.
- Beta Theta Pi Dance.
- 23. Christmas Vacation Begins, 4.30 P. M.

January

- 4. Christmas Vacation Ends, 8.20 A. M.
- 6. Classical Club Meeting.

#### JOKES

Anyhow, the chap with an extremely long nose always has something to look forward to.

—*Hillsdale Collegian*

Seen in the want column of a country paper: Wanted—Two live ones to sell our coffins. No dead ones need apply.

—*Drape Delphic*

De Auber—I painted a group of young ladies and the picture was so lifelike that the men passing it, tipped their hats.

De Brush—That's nothing. I painted a picture of a hen and threw it in the waste basket and it laid there.

—*Exchange*

#### ITS SORT

"Military courtship must be trying."

"Naturally. It is a sort of court martial."

—*Exchange*

"What is the technical name for snoring?"

"I bite."

"Sheet music."

—*Exchange*

RETALIATION—A singer who recently passed an evening at the house of a lady stayed late. As he rose to go the hostess said:

"Pray, don't go yet, Mr. Basso; I want you to sing something for me."

"Oh, you must excuse me tonight; it is very late, and I should disturb the neighbors."

"Never mind the neighbors," answered the lady, quickly, "they poisoned our dog yesterday."

*Tid-Bits.*

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## BOWDOIN MEN IN THE PUBLIC EYE

What are Bowdoin men doing today that is of special interest to their fellow Bowdoin men and to the world at large? Who among them are more especially in the public eye at this time than their fellows? To each of us, when such questions are asked, there are names that spring to the mind and to the lips; for today, as for more than a century past, Bowdoin men in large numbers are doing things worth while in the world. No brief article like this, however, can give any adequate summary of these men. I can merely mention a few of them, the few that occur first to the writer, with the frank acknowledgment that as many others or more, are fully as prominently in the public eye at this time, and that many more are unquestionably doing things equally worth while, even if less prominently before the public.

First, perhaps because he is farthest away, we may name Donald B. MacMillan '98, leader of the Crocker Land expedition that set out for the far North in July, 1913. Late news by way of Iceland and Denmark make it plain that he and his party—which includes Dr. H. J. Hunt '02, who was captain of both football and track teams in his senior year—must remain in the Arctic region at least a year longer. The relief ship that went northward last summer was shut in by the ice far south of the headquarters of the party at Etah. Happily, however, there is no reason to fear for the safety of the party.

Three of the six men who represent Maine in Congress at this session, perhaps the most momentous session since the Civil War, are Bowdoin graduates, Senator Charles F. Johnson '79, one of the trustees of the college, and Representatives Daniel J. McGillicuddy '81 of Lewiston and John A. Peters '85 of Ellsworth. Nor is there reason to doubt that there will be any lack of Bowdoin graduates among the public men of Maine and of the country in the near future.

There are two Bowdoin men among those who are engaged in the contest for the Republican nomination at the state primaries next June—Hon. George E. Weeks '82 of Fairfield, a former speaker of the house of representatives, and Hon. Edward W. Wheeler ex-'98 of Brunswick, a for-

mer member of the state senate and of the executive council. Both these gentlemen are eminent members of the Maine bar, and nobody questions the fitness of either for the position he seeks.

In the recent exciting municipal election in Portland, Bowdoin men figured prominently—as is fitting in a city where from fifty to seventy-five graduates of the college are in regular attendance at the monthly dinners. The retiring mayor, William M. Ingraham '95, was a candidate for re-election, and his failure to win it was in no way a reflection upon him personally or officially, but the result of a political overturn that was inevitable at this time. Before he was mayor, Mr. Ingraham served with distinction for eight years as judge of probate for Cumberland county. To fill a vacancy in that office the governor has just appointed Robert M. Pennell '09, who has practised law in Portland since his graduation from the Harvard Law School. John J. Devine '11 is serving as assistant county attorney for Cumberland. In the municipal election, the chairman of the Republican city committee, that is, the organizer and leader of the winning forces, was Harry C. Wilber '94; and Guy H. Sturgis '98, the Cumberland county member of the Republican state committee, was a prominent factor in the result.

In the Second Maine congressional district, where there promises to be an unusually lively contest next summer, perhaps the most prominent aspirant for the Republican nomination is Edward C. Plummer '87 of Bath. But in this connection it will be well to keep an eye on Lewiston's municipal election next March. If Wallace H. White, Jr., '99 becomes the mayor of Lewiston at that time, as many good political prophets tell us, he is likely to be a very prominent factor in the congressional fight. And either Mr. Plummer or Mr. White would be a credit to Bowdoin in Washington.

Augusta has a Bowdoin man for mayor, Blaine S. Viles '03, former state forest commissioner. In fact, it was bound to elect a Bowdoin man in any case, for the worthy opponent of Mr. Viles at the polls last spring was his classmate, Niles

L. Perkins, former city treasurer of Augusta. Since then Mr. Perkins has been named to fill a position of high responsibility at the National Home at Togus. Among the Bowdoin men who are helping Mayor Viles run Augusta affairs are Walter M. Sanborn '04, an alderman, Burleigh Martin '11, city clerk, and several members of the school board. At the session of the Maine legislature last winter the floor leader of the majority party in the house of representatives was Leonard A. Pierce '05 of Houlton, whom all name as one likely to go far in public life; and about a dozen Bowdoin graduates were members of the two branches. During the winter the governor appointed Rev. Henry E. Dunnack '97, state librarian, and John A. Morrill '76 of Auburn was again given the responsible task of revising the public laws of the state.

To step from the Maine political field, though the list of those who might well be mentioned in that connection is far from exhausted, we may touch briefly on a group of young alumni who are coming to the front in the financial and professional life of New York City—a group well calculated to take the places of the leaders that Bowdoin has long had there. Perhaps most prominent among them is Harvey D. Gibson '02, whose rapid rise to the vice-presidency of the great Liberty National Bank makes him one of the most conspicuous figures among the younger men in the financial world. As suggesting his standing it may be mentioned that the bankers of New York selected him to go to Europe on the battleship Tennessee in 1914, in charge of the disbursement of the \$5,000,000 that the government appropriated for the relief of the American war refugees. He is a director and the treasurer of the newly formed Wright Aeroplane Company. Then there is Harrison K. McCann, also of '02, now the head of the advertising company that bears his name, at 61 Broadway, one of the largest advertising agencies in the country. He has offices in all the leading cities, and among the numerous Bowdoin men associated with him are L. L. Cleves '09 and Harrison Atwood '09.

There is Philip O. Coffin '03—did Bowdoin ever have a harder fighting fullback?—who has risen to the important position of general auditor of the New York Telephone Company. In a subordinate position he suggested changes that revolutionized the whole auditing system of this great corporation, and that won for him a remarkable promotion over many men of long service. The young but important bond house of Liggett, Hichborn & Company, New York and Boston, has Harold S. Hichborn '07 as its treasurer, and

Alden S. Hichborn '11, in a place of high responsibility. Of the many young Bowdoin men practising law in New York two come to mind with special force, Harry Hill Pierce '06, now of the firm of Sullivan & Cromwell, whose work in the reorganization of the St. Louis & San Francisco railway recently gained him wide recognition, and George R. Walker '02, who has gained notable success in his profession, particularly in connection with the far-reaching enterprises of his classmates who were mentioned above. Another Bowdoin man who has stepped to a place of power and prominence in the financial world is George T. Ordway '06, who recently became president of the Federal Utilities, Incorporated.

Among the hundreds of Bowdoin alumni in and around Boston, one of those most prominently in the public eye of late has been James L. Doherty '89 of Springfield, named as one of the trustees to straighten out the tangled affairs of the Boston & Maine. He also has the distinction—how many other of our graduates have attained it?—of sending two sons to Bowdoin in the same class.

In the medical world, though it is hardly fair to single out for mention a few among the many who are doing notable work, we see Winford H. Smith '99, who has recently become the head of the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore; Fred H. Albee '99, who has won world-wide recognition by his work in orthopedic surgery in New York; E. G. Abbott '06 of Portland, who, though in a smaller field, has won but little less distinction in the same line; Louis M. Spear '00, who is chief of the medical staff of the new Robert B. Brigham Hospital of Boston.

In literature, how proud we have all been the past year that the authorities have ranked the translation of Dante by Professor Henry Johnson '74 as one of the great books of our time. And if the little book of poems by Isaac Bassett Choate '62 is but a modest work it is still a beautiful one, wholly in keeping with the life of the beloved author.

The allotted space is more than filled, but the two score names mentioned, among sons of Bowdoin now in the public eye, offer us but a brief glimpse of fields where it would be pleasant to wander much farther. And since we began with an explorer, let us close by mentioning another, the chief of those who have made Bowdoin known the world over as "the explorers' college." Robert E. Peary '77 is not the kind of American to sit down and rest just because he has accomplished the task to which he gave almost a quarter century of tremendous endeavor. In the

great movement for an adequate system of national defense, his plans and his counsel are commanding the attention of the whole country.

J. C. M.

#### NEW OVERSEERS

John Eliphaz Chapman was born July 14, 1853, at Bethel, Maine. He was graduated from Bowdoin in 1877 and later pursued the study of law at Harvard. He practiced his profession for a few years in Boston, but his love for letters led him into literary work and for several years he was one of the editors of *The Youth's Companion*. His duties as executor of his partner's estate again led him from his chosen work and since 1897 he has been occupied very largely with the management of trust estates. Since the death of his brother, Professor Henry Leland Chapman, he has spent as much time in Brunswick as his business interests would allow.

Melvin Smith Holway was born May 26, 1861, at Augusta, Maine. He received the degree of A.B. in 1882 and A.M. in 1885 from Bowdoin, and then studied law at Harvard and with Hon. William L. Putnam, Bowdoin 1885. Since 1885 he has practiced his profession at Augusta, where he has entered largely into the life of the city, serving as city solicitor, alderman, member of the school committee, and trustee of the public library, as well as being actively interested in banking, manufacturing and mercantile corporations.

William Morrell Emery was born Oct. 2, 1866, at Brunswick, Maine. He is a son of Edwin Emery, Bowdoin 1861. He was graduated from Bowdoin in 1889 with the degree of A.B. and in 1892 received the degree of A.M. He has always been engaged in journalism, first in Lowell and later in Providence and New Bedford, and since 1900 has been city editor of the *Fall River Evening News*. He has devoted much spare time to historical and genealogical writing.

Philip Greely Clifford was born at Portland, Maine, Sept. 11, 1882, and is thus one of the youngest Overseers Bowdoin ever had. He was graduated from the college in 1903 and studied law at Harvard. He has practiced his profession in Portland since 1907.

#### NEW INSTRUCTORS

Philip Weston Meserve, Instructor in Chemistry, was born November 24, 1888, at Portland, Maine. He was graduated from Bowdoin, with the degree of A.B., in the class of 1911. His graduate work has been pursued at Harvard University and Johns Hopkins, the degree of A.M.

being received at Harvard in 1915. He was Instructor in Chemistry at Simmons College 1913-14; worked at the Hygienic Laboratory during the summer of 1913, and published with Dr. Atherton Seidell a bulletin on the "Determination of Small Quantities of Sulphur Dioxide in Air."

William Edmund Milne, Instructor in Mathematics, was born January 19, 1890, at Pendleton, Oregon. He did his undergraduate work at Whitman College, receiving the degree of A.B. in 1912. From 1912 to 1915 he was a graduate student at Harvard, receiving the degree of A.M. in 1913 and Ph.D. in 1915. He is author of a "Note on Removable Singularities" in the Bulletin of the American Mathematical Society, December, 1914. He was president of the Sever Mathematical Club at Harvard in 1913-14, and of the Harvard Mathematical Club, 1914-15.

Rhys Dafydd Evans, Instructor in Physics, was born September 17, 1888 at Athens, Ohio. He received his A.B. from Ohio University in 1909. From 1909 to 1914 he was a graduate student and assistant at Harvard, and in 1914-15 he was an instructor in Physics at Harvard. He is joint author, with Professor A. A. Atkinson, of Ohio University, of a "Manual of Experimental Physics," and with Professor G. W. Pierce, of Harvard University, of an article on the "Electrical Properties of Carborundum," which appeared in the Proceedings of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, March 1912. He is a member of the American Physical Society and of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity.

Thomas Curtis Van Cleve, Instructor in History, was born May 1, 1888, at Malden, Missouri. He received his A.B. from the University of Missouri in 1911 and his A.M. in 1912. He was assistant in History at the University of Missouri in 1911-12 and instructor in History in 1912-13; from 1913 to 1915 he was assistant in History at the University of Wisconsin.

#### SECOND COLLEGE PREACHER

The chapel services Sunday, Dec. 19, were conducted by Rev. Charles R. Brown, D.D., Dean of the Yale School of Religion. Dr. Brown selected as his text, the parable of the Pharisee and the Publican. To the former was likened the self-satisfied man who never gets beyond his own soul. A penitent man, who realizes his sins and seeks forgiveness from the Lord, is a Publican. In the prayer, "God, forgive me, a sinner!" are embraced the four fundamentals of the Christian religion: "God"—the *author* of religion; "me"—the *subject* of religion; "sin"—the *source* of moral religion; and "mercy"—the *cause* of divine religion.



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### The Alumni Orient

The ORIENT plans to publish each year at least two special alumni numbers. To assist in editing these for the present year three faculty members have been appointed, who, having been associated with the college for a longer time than any undergraduates, are better acquainted with the names and achievements of the alumni. The first two special numbers will be sent to all graduates of the college free of charge, but it is hoped that because of this new feature next year's list of alumni subscribers will be greatly lengthened.

That a college consists of more than campus and buildings, more than boards and faculty, more than the student body, is a fact which we all know, and of which we are fully aware at

Commencement dinners and similar celebrations, but which we are sometimes likely to forget in thinking of the active work of the college. In estimating the power and efficiency of Bowdoin or in moulding its policies, no one must for a moment forget that there are more than 2000 alumni, many of whom are prominent in the communities in which they live and successful in their chosen work, who with deep gratitude remember what the college has done for them, who rejoice in every forward step it takes, who regard with pride the high standing it has maintained in the college world and the world at large, and who deeply desire to see a still better Bowdoin.

It is the chief purpose of the ORIENT in issuing these special numbers to bring the alumni into closer touch with each other and with the college. It would give the graduates accurate information concerning the work that the college is doing today, what it is thinking and hoping, and, by recording the achievements and the opinions of the alumni, it would bring to the undergraduates the consciousness that they are but a part in a much larger whole, that in the race they are running they are surrounded by a cloud of witnesses.

"How can we make the alumni articulate?" is a question that was discussed at a recent meeting of New England college presidents. The ORIENT through these special numbers, would help Bowdoin answer that question. It would serve as a mouthpiece for alumni as well as undergraduates. If any alumnus has fault to find with the college, with the curriculum, with the faculty or their methods of teaching, with the requirements or the methods of admission, with any branch of our athletics, with the social or religious life of the college, or has any word of praise to give, or advice to offer, the ORIENT—particularly in the special issues which reach a large number of the alumni—would welcome to its columns whatever that graduate has to say in criticism or warning or encouragement. It believes that by so doing it can serve the best interests of the college.

### ANOTHER DORMITORY

There seems to be a growing need for a new dormitory. At present of our 400 students, about 140 live in chapter houses, 180 in dormitories and about 80 are not in residence: of these last, 49 live in private houses not connected with the college, 18 live at home, and to live out of town. This year there has been practically no empty space in the dormitories. Some of the men indeed who are now rooming off the campus, prefer for various reasons their present quarters; but a large number of freshmen could not this year have



found provision in the dormitories had they desired it. This brings up the question of the new dormitory that has long been planned. Probably we can get along comfortably for a few years as we are; but it will have to be for a very few years, for inadequate dormitory provision is sure to have a detrimental effect on future classes. In fact, we have lost several men in these last few years because we have had no modern dormitory. Our present halls are clean and decent, conducive perhaps to plain living and high thinking; but nearly every other college of our standing has much better dormitory facilities. In our own state of Maine, all of our sister colleges have buildings that are more modern and attractive than are Maine, Winthrop and Appleton Hall.

A new dormitory, therefore, is a real need. No friend of Bowdoin wishes our students to be luxuriously housed; but a modern building with a pleasant living room and adequate bathing arrangements would, as soon as it came into being, be regarded as such a necessary part of the college that we would wonder how we could have got along without it. Along with better facilities would come higher standards; so that some day such care might be taken of our other dormitories by the students, that the college could afford to re-equip the old buildings, and make them not only adequate, as they are now, but really attractive.

Some few years ago a movement was started for a freshman dormitory. It was, however, soon found that this was not in accordance with Bowdoin traditions, and is not necessary or desirable in so small a college. But one change in our present customs it seems to me is advisable: many of us hope that more and more seniors will return to the campus for their last year. At present 51 seniors live in chapter houses, and 17 in the dormitories. For one, I should like to see these figures reversed, and an exodus from the fraternity houses for the last year take place. If a man rooms on the campus his first and last years, and spends his sophomore and junior years in a chapter house, he will get all the luxury he ought to have; he will be properly introduced to the college; he will at the end of his course be able to make a more real contribution to college spirit and college ideals if he lives in the college itself, and comes in contact more closely even than he does now with the incoming men, and passes on to them our traditions. I should not wish to see a new dormitory a senior house or a freshman house. In my opinion many freshmen and some seniors and a few men of other classes should room there. I hope that some day, and that in the not too distant future, more seniors

will be found rooming on the campus; and that the undergraduates will take the least serious years, sophomore and junior, for playing with one another in the pleasant comradeship of the chapter house. But we cannot expect to have much change until we have a new dormitory. With better dormitories we should be able to meet the few objections that now come from parents and friends of incoming freshmen, and we should be able to get more of our seniors back on the campus. We should have a still better Bowdoin.

K. C. M. S.

#### OUR ATHLETIC POLICY

Most of the alumni and undergraduates of any American college wish, genially or savagely, to have their college's athletic teams win their games. So far, at least, most of us are in accord with President Foster's sentiments expressed in the November *Athletic* in "An Indictment of Intercollegiate Athletics."

More than ever before, the two elements in the success of any college's athletic teams are men and money—men of at least latent athletic ability, money to pay for their coaching. The situation at Bowdoin with regard to these two elements of success is this. Our football team this fall had the coaching without the men: just two or three real "stars," such as most of our rivals usually manage to obtain, would have made our season more than satisfactory. Our prospects for next year, unless we get these "stars," are more than dubious. Last year's baseball season was rather mysterious: something was wrong with both men and coaching, though at the outset both elements seemed suitable. Our prospects for the coming season look bright: we have some new and good men, and, on the money side, a generous alumnus has enabled us to secure a better and more expensive coach than had previously seemed possible. Last year's track season was capital: thanks to excellent coaching, men of natural athletic ability, though without much pre-collegiate experience, gave us what was probably the best small college track team in the country. Our prospects for the coming season are still brighter. But track is never a paying sport: our track manager now labors under a six hundred dollar deficit, and unless some alumni contribution is made, we shall have to reduce the number of relay team trips this year, though last year our relay team won all its races and could no doubt do the same this year.

Bowdoin, it must be realized, has special difficulties in securing both men and money. On the man side—we have no big preparatory school

"feeders" to send us athletes; athletes have no special comforts on board our "Pullman," or other, courses; we are geographically somewhat isolated; we have no great athletic reputation outside the state to attract athletes and we certainly have no financial reputation to pull them to Brunswick. On the money side—till the establishment of this year's Alumni Football Fund we have been dependent upon undergraduate subscriptions and receipts from games; but home games and games outside the state are generally played at a financial loss. The result has often been deficits, inadequate coaching, poor schedules and poor teams.

Good teams with good schedules would not only gratify our pride but would also help to perpetuate good teams and good schedules. The question, then, is how to get started once more upon a successful athletic era, how to get the men and money necessary to good teams. The least expensive—and least effective—way of getting men is to have the undergraduates find them, talk to them, and induce alumni in their vicinity to talk to them. This can be done through clubs or committees of undergraduates, clubs or committees that now exist or may be formed. There are several objections to this scheme, primarily the fact that able undergraduates already are engaged in too many extra-curriculum activities, secondarily the fact that the matter would not long be systematically and adequately handled. Another inexpensive way would be through similar clubs or committees of alumni: it rests with them to determine whether they can find time and inclination really to organize and conduct a systematic campaign of this sort. If they can not, we may choose to consider, at least, the most expensive and effective way of getting men: call it the "Graduate Manager" plan, this Manager being paid and having as one duty that of finding men and bringing them to Bowdoin—not by the hair of the head or the power of the purse string, but by inducing alumni in their neighborhood to keep telling them what Bowdoin's merits are. He might also supervise athletic schedules and expenditures; with alumni he might get us better schedules than we now have, and he probably could save us some money in the management of teams. If he were capable of coaching one team himself, the plan of course would not be so expensive.

He might act, too, as Alumni Secretary, keeping the college in touch with the alumni, and supervising our Press Club. If we secured the right Graduate Manager—and it would not be easy—this plan for getting men, as well as certain other desirable things, would probably be

effective. Essential to its effectiveness, as to the effectiveness of any other plan, would be the insistently loquacious support of the alumni. If Bowdoin alumni would only "talk Bowdoin" as they love Bowdoin and endow Bowdoin, our problem would be more than half solved.

Lastly, as to the means of getting the money necessary to good teams. The maintenance of the present schedules and coaching system of our three major sports would cost probably \$1500 more than our receipts from games and from the undergraduate Blanket Tax. Were hockey to become an intercollegiate sport here, more money still would be needed, even though the fencing appropriation were to be permanently and entirely withdrawn: we should want a properly coached team, if we had any. If the Blanket Tax (\$15) were a regular college bill collected by the college from all students save those who satisfied a committee that they deserved exemption, it would bring in perhaps \$750 more than it does now. This is a step which the Boards and Faculty would hesitate to take. The only means, really, of continuing our present schedules and coaching system is through regular alumni subscriptions. This year the Alumni Football Fund was a success, amounting to about \$1700, of which \$1000 will be left for next year: good management and the fact that the Maine game was played here this fall gave us a better season financially than we can ordinarily count on having. We need, then, for football and the other sports, about \$1500 annually from the alumni. If we adopted the Graduate Manager plan, we should probably need alumni subscriptions amounting to at least \$2500 annually, for it seems unlikely that the Boards, under present conditions, could pay the salary of such a man. One way of raising this money is that tried this year in the case of the Football Fund. A more common, and apparently better, way would be to form an Alumni Athletic Association with annual membership tickets, costing \$2, \$5 and \$10, say, and entitling the member to a vote and to admission to some or all of the home and Portland games.

It is to be hoped that the alumni at their June meeting will discuss thoroughly the athletic situation and take some action: the Athletic Council, and perhaps the Alumni Council, will have some definite proposals to submit. But then and meanwhile it must be borne in mind that money alone, used as we are willing to use it, will not procure good teams: men are needed, and for those men the college is chiefly dependent upon alumni who are willing, with vigor just short of blattery, to "talk Bowdoin."

PAUL NIXON, *Treas. Athletic Council.*

## ATHLETIC EVENTS OF THE PAST FALL

During the fall there are two branches of athletics to claim the attention of Bowdoin undergraduates,—football and cross-country. In August prospects for a successful football team were not good. The 1914 team had been badly beaten in most of its contests and the men had shown but little knowledge of the game. It was felt by the Athletic Council that a more experienced coach, especially one who had worked under the successful Haughton system at Harvard, would be the most important factor in the development of a winning team. The football association could not afford the salary such a coach could command and a call for subscriptions was sent to alumni, who responded generously. Thomas J. Campbell, Harvard 1912, who had played half-back during his college course, was engaged under a one-year contract. Lieut. Rodney H. Smith, a former football captain at West Point, was engaged as line coach. John J. Magee was trainer. The team was captained by G. W. Leadbetter '16 and managed by Edward P. Garland '16.

Practice began Sept. 13, ten days before the opening of college. About 20 men responded to the call for candidates. Following the Haughton driving system under which he had been trained, Campbell made the work hard up to the eve of the Maine series, the most important games on the schedule. The team played eight games, winning three and losing five, and scoring 59 points against 100. The team played well and the games it lost were to heavier, faster and more experienced teams.

The games resulted as follows:

Sept. 25—Bowdoin 19, New Hampshire State 0, at Brunswick.

Oct. 2—Amherst 6, Bowdoin 0, at Amherst.

Oct. 9—Bowdoin 14, Boston College 0, at Brunswick.

Oct. 16—Wesleyan 3, Bowdoin 0, at Middletown.

Oct. 23—Colby 34, Bowdoin 6, at Waterville.

Oct. 30—Bowdoin 7, Bates 0, at Lewiston.

Nov. 6—Maine 23, Bowdoin 13, at Brunswick.

Nov. 13—Tufts 34, Bowdoin 0, in Portland.

Early in the season the team was crippled by injuries and played the Boston College game with only one regular man in the backfield. In the last game before the Maine series, Shumway, who had been playing regularly at quarterback, broke his arm and was unable to play the remainder of the season.

Letters were awarded to the following men: Captain G. W. Leadbetter '16, G. E. Beal '16, J. H. Brewster '16, W. E. Chase, Jr., '16, D. J. Ed-

wards '16, H. H. Foster '16, J. B. Moulton '16, L. D. Pettingill '16, G. R. Stuart '16, H. G. Wood '16, B. W. Bartlett '17, B. P. Bradford '17, J. C. Oliver '17, F. E. Phillips '17, K. G. Stone '17, G. S. Nevens '18, R. H. Peacock '18, and Manager E. P. Garland '16.

The season has emphasized the need of material in the entering classes. The team was well coached and well trained, but was outweighed by most of its opponents, and most of the opposing teams had faster backs and ends.

To make any predictions for another year would be difficult. Much depends upon material in the Freshman class. Most of the letter-winners graduate, but there are a few in the under classes who played in only a few games who may be varsity material another year. S. N. Shumway '17 has been elected captain for next year and E. H. Blanchard '17 has been chosen manager. The coach has not yet been picked, but there is a strong probability that Campbell will again direct the players.

## CROSS-COUNTRY

The cross-country team competed in only one race, the Maine intercollegiate, and was forced to be content with last place. Cross-country does not create the interest that other forms of track do, and the number of men out for the team was correspondingly small. The material in the Freshman class seemed unusually good, and the Freshman team defeated Hebron 24 to 31 in good time.

The state race was Nov. 5 and resulted as follows: Maine 19, Bates 42, Colby 74 and Bowdoin 75. For Bowdoin Capt. L. Irving '16 finished tenth; R. N. Fillmore '17, 14th; H. M. Howard '18, 15th; H. P. Mosher '19, 16th; L. C. Wyman '19, 20th. P. S. Turner '19, who had been first man to finish at trials, was taken sick and was unable to finish the race. D. L. Noyes '19, another Freshman who had been doing well, was declared ineligible on account of studies and was not allowed to run. The team was captained by Laurence Irving '16 and managed by L. H. Marston '17. The coach was J. J. Magee.

## HOCKEY

For many years Bowdoin hockey enthusiasts had to trust to the ice on distant ponds for skating, until last year a small rink was built near the library to try to meet the demand. Although this rink afforded considerable pleasure and brought out over forty men in the series of class games, it revealed more of the difficulties and disadvantages of hockey than of its benefits. The



low sideboards could not keep the puck in the rink and eliminated one of the main features of the game, the sideboard play; the rink was too small for an open game; and the ice surface was seldom smooth. A similar rink, slightly longer and with higher boards at the ends, has been built this year.

Earlier in the season, a number of students, filled with a desire to play real hockey, organized and appointed Irving '16 and Bartlett '17 to represent them before the Athletic Council in asking for a rink at least larger than the minimum requirements of the Intercollegiate Hockey Association, with sideboards four feet high, and with a smooth ice surface. Although the Council was impressed with the value of hockey as an outdoor sport when played on a good rink, lack of funds prevented any further consideration of the project. The faculty likewise appreciated the students' desire for outdoor winter sport and expressed their sympathy with the petition for a hockey rink, but lack of funds also prevented any faculty assistance beyond the offer of the Delta as a location. Under the present blanket tax system of raising money there could be no appeal to the students for subscriptions: and so the rink is to be practically the same as last year.

Class and fraternity games will be held during this winter on the old rink. But those interested hope that in another year means will be found to provide a rink where hockey can be well played, and where many who would otherwise lack outdoor winter sports may enjoy a good winter game in the open air. L. I.

#### RELAY SCHEDULE APPROVED

The relay squad was separated into two divisions last Saturday. The speed runners, who will form one group, and the long distance runner, who will make up the other, are to receive somewhat different work. Training tables have been started in every house and strict training will be in force from now on.

Coach Magee is working hard to get the men into the best condition for the B. A. A. Meet, Feb. 5, where the competition for the state championship will take place.

The following schedule has been approved by the Athletic Council:—

Feb. 5—B. A. A. at Boston.

Feb. 19—R. I. A. A. at Providence, Weylan.

Feb. 21—C. A. C. at Hartford, Worcester Polytechnic Institute.

#### FRATERNITIES AND CLUBS

The social life of the college centers naturally enough in the fraternities and clubs. Dances and receptions characterize the social activities of the fraternities, and informal meetings those of the clubs.

All of the fraternities had dances at Christmas and nearly all at Thanksgiving. In addition to these, the Student Council, acting for the undergraduates, held a college dance Nov. 6, the night of the Bowdoin-Maine game.

The fraternity initiations were held on Oct. 19. The following summary gives the total numbers, by delegations, now in fraternities:

	1916	1917	1918	1919	Total
Alpha Delta Phi.....	7	6	8	8	29
Psi Upsilon .....	9	5	12	7	33
Delta Kappa Epsilon. 10	12	4	14	40	
Zeta Psi .....	6	8	9	11	34
Theta Delta Chi.....	6	6	11	7	30
Delta Upsilon .....	11	9	10	11	41
Kappa Sigma .....	9	8	11	12	40
Beta Theta Pi.....	7	10	8	8	33
Beta Chi .....	4	3	9	4	20
	69	67	82	82	300

There are also three class societies, the Ibis, a senior literary society with five undergraduate and five faculty members, and Abraxas and the Friars, two junior societies, with 11 members each. Other clubs are: the Deutscher Verein, composed of the students taking advanced courses in German; the Classical Club and the Biology Club for those studying the classics and biology, respectively; the Monday Night Club, composed of varsity football men; the B. B. B. Club of the baseball men; the Track Club of all track candidates; and the Gibbons Club, made up of Catholic students.

#### YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

The Y. M. C. A. is an undenominational student organization, membership in which is open to all students. The object of the Association is to create among its members a definite sense of responsibility not only for their own characters, but also in a friendly and unobtrusive way for the characters of the men about them.

The organization of the Association calls for a Cabinet of officers elected from the students, and a General Secretary appointed by the faculty. Work is carried on through committees which meet independently and present reports to the Association at its regular Cabinet meetings. Activities are divided into two general groups: work by students for students, and work by students



for non-college interests. In this effort the Association aims to take advantage of the fact that the tangible appeals more to the student than does the intangible, that there is a real satisfaction in being able to point to some definite thing accomplished.

The work of students for students is of various sorts. For incoming men, the Association has a bureau of information which is to be located hereafter in the Union. Upon the evening of the day college opens a reception is held for new students, and addresses are made by men prominent in undergraduate activities. An employment bureau which endeavors to make available whatever opportunity for self-help the town affords, has this year been able to assist between thirty and forty men. A tutoring bureau is organized for non-fraternity freshmen, and although during the present year its activities have been limited, occasions frequently arise where its services are appreciated. A loan library is likewise maintained for needy students. Activities on the campus of a definitely religious nature are limited to short, well defined courses in Bible and Mission study, which are open to all who indicate a willingness to do a reasonable amount of preparatory work. These classes are led for the most part by members of the faculty. Finally, there are general meetings where students have an opportunity to hear and to meet men prominent in professions and in business.

For its service off the campus, the Association has an equally varied program. It has this year sent to Dr. Grenfell's Labrador Hospital Mission two barrels of clothing. At the Sunday chapel service before Thanksgiving it collected thirty dollars for purchasing dinners for nine families which showed the generous total of sixty-two children. Two Bowdoin men were recently walking through one of the nearby villages and saw for themselves the desolate and dreary houses where numbers of children were fairly stuffed into small and most unhealthful cabins. A pack of small boys was rounded up for conversation, and their general wildness and unexpurgated English sent the students back to Bowdoin with the demand that the Association do something to civilize these forgotten children. There is now a boys' club in that village which, like the older one at Pejepscot, is built about the ideas of the Knights of King Arthur and the Boy Scouts.

A night school is also carried on by the Association for men in the mills of Brunswick. Thirty-five men are studying English, arithmetic and American History with the assistance of twenty-five college men for tutors. The town has given hearty support by providing a school

building and books for the continuation of the work. Best of all the spirit of social equality has given itself full expression in the Christmas celebrations. Men, women and children of all creeds and conditions have joined in giving parties to the little ones. In the night school a committee was made up of three mill men, three college students and a faculty member. The mill men provided a hall and a generous share of the funds, the students decorated the Christmas tree and bought presents for the children, and the whole evening was one of interest and happiness.

The Association occupies a respected position among undergraduate interests. Although the value of such an organization is not necessarily proportional to membership, the present enrollment is large. The field of opportunity grows constantly greater, and the return in accomplishment an ever-increasing satisfaction. M. E. L.

#### THE MUSICAL CLUBS

The Glee and Mandolin Clubs are planning to give about ten concerts during the year. Two and possibly three trips are to be made in Maine and a longer trip to Massachusetts.

A new undertaking for the Musical Clubs this year is the "pop" concert planned for Portland, Feb. 11. It will be given in the Exposition Hall and the audience will be seated at tables instead of in the conventional rows of seats. There is ample space between the tables for dancing during the concert. Refreshments will be served.

D. F. Kelley '16, leader of the Mandolin Club, has written a march for the Mandolin Club quintette. It has not yet been played in public, but those who have heard it at rehearsals are much pleased.

Manager R. S. Fuller '16 has arranged the following schedule of concerts: Jan. 12, Bangor; Jan. 13, Skowhegan; Jan. 14, Hallowell; Feb. 8, Topsham; Feb. 11, Pop Concert in Portland; Feb. 18, Damariscotta. Arrangements have not yet been completed for the Massachusetts trip, which is usually made during the Easter vacation.

The clubs are made up as follows:

GLEE CLUB—First basses, W. P. Woodman '16, leader, R. S. Fuller '16, L. A. Biggers '17, J. L. Scott '18; second basses, U. H. Merrill '16, J. Seward '17, G. S. Joyce '18, J. W. Thomas '18, soloist; first tenors, V. F. Burnham '16, C. H. Crosby '17, E. F. Chase '18, R. S. Turner '19, W. E. Hill '19, soloist; second tenors, C. K. Ross '17, H. L. Harrington '18, H. T. Piedra '17, K. A. Woodman '18.

MANDOLIN CLUB—First mandolins, D. F. Kelley '16, leader, A. J. Ginty '16, E. R. Little '16,

E. R. Stratton '16, D. W. True '17, N. L. Hemenway '19; second mandolins, J. L. Baxter '16, V. L. Brown '18, J. B. Freese '18, A. H. McQuillan '18, L. B. Farrar '19; tenor mandolas, A. F. Head '16, M. L. Warren '18; mandocellos, J. S. Brackett '16, M. A. Sutcliffe '17; guitar, L. C. F. Parmenter '17; flute, P. B. Sturgis '19; traps, E. C. Smith '18; pianist, B. Edwards '19.

### MASQUE AND GOWN

The dramatic instinct, prevalent in all colleges, found expression at Bowdoin some years ago in plays given occasionally by student companies at Brunswick and other towns in the state. But this expression of student activity did not become an institution of the college until the organization of the Bowdoin Dramatic Club, now known as "Masque and Gown."

Incidental to the benefits to be derived by those taking part in the performances, the club may be said to have two objects: one, to appear each season away from home, as opportunity offers; the other, to furnish entertainment at the college on festal days. In carrying out the latter purpose the club last year adopted the new plan of giving a "skit" at a college rally. The Ivy Day and Commencement plays are now a well established part of the program on these occasions. The Ivy play is of the light comedy variety and is the same as that given by the club during its season "on the road." On the other hand the club has always given a Shakespearian comedy at Commencement. The very high order of performance that the Masque and Gown has been credited with giving is due in great measure to the coaching of Mrs. Arthur Brown, and her interest in the club.

The club numbers some twenty members whose first qualification for admission is successful competition for parts. Trials for these positions are open to all students and the parts are assigned on merit, a committee of the faculty acting as judges. That the organization is now on a sound financial basis is evidence of increasing efficiency in management, and growing popularity. It aspires to broaden the scope of its undertakings by producing at no distant day a number of short, serious plays.

The present officers of the club are: Erik Achorn '17, president; J. P. Stride '17, manager and treasurer; G. S. Joyce '18, assistant manager; E. O. Colter '18, property man.

Former members will be interested to know that this year the club has adopted an official pin.

E. A.

## Communications

Contributions are requested from all undergraduates alumni and faculty. No anonymous contributions can be accepted.

### *The Editor of the ORIENT:*

DEAR SIR:—Though I am an alumnus of another college, I have followed with highest admiration the conduct of athletics at Bowdoin. Bowdoin has maintained in her sports a level of sanity and honesty quite exceptional at the present day, and if she were not so reserved in regard to her virtues—if her alumni were as aggressive and talkative as the alumni of some other colleges—she would win public renown for these good qualities. Therefore it was with regret that, in reading an article in *The Atlantic* by President Foster of Reed College on the subject of Intercollegiate Athletics, I noticed that it was likely to give the unwary reader a wrong impression in regard to Bowdoin. The writer drew an illustration from Bowdoin, among other colleges which were not named, of the undue prominence awarded to intercollegiate sport by the undergraduate mind. Unfortunately he omitted to mention that Bowdoin was free from the most serious evils discussed in the context, and to warn the reader against placing Bowdoin in the same category with other colleges which the writer was referring to. No doubt, in a comparatively short piece of writing, the author may be forgiven for overlooking certain necessary qualifications. Perhaps this consideration will excuse the shortcomings of the enclosed piece of verse, which is the result of my having read a certain popular sonnet of Wordsworth's immediately after my perusal of President Foster's article. I had in mind particularly his indictment of intercollegiate sport as a means of advertising; I was impressed also by the fact that the professors take part with the students at Reed College in intra-mural sports, which (as President Foster maintains) show no diminution of college spirit.

Most meet it is with high uplifted eyes  
To pace the ground, if path there be or none;  
A sportful region in the distance lies,  
Which we forbear again to look upon;  
Pleased rather with a soft ideal scene,  
The work of Fancy, or "Atlantic" moan  
Of meditation slipping in between  
The money coming and the money gone;  
Though boughten toughs desert us, on that day  
Need we break off all commerce with the news?  
With sportive Profs. companions of our way,  
Whate'er the bleachers take or may refuse,

Our school's internal spirit shall shed her dews  
Of inspiration on the humblest play.

E. L. T.

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

We take the liberty of expressing our opinion concerning the curriculum of our college. We are sure this is a subject rarely mentioned by the younger Alumni, and seldom considered by the students. We feel, however, that the main interest and attention of the college body, both undergraduates and graduates, should be centered upon this question of the curriculum, rather than upon the more sensational side shows of college life.

President Hyde's report in the Bulletin outlines his plan of giving courses limited to the ablest men in the various departments and by this means separating the sheep from the goats. This idea, which President Hyde labels the "limited train," has aroused favorable comment, both within and without Bowdoin circles, and since it frees the cleverest men from the lock-step of ordinary class progress, it is in some ways an excellent plan. Yet we do not feel that it is as inclusive and thorough-going a reform as is needed. Though a "limited train" is a splendid thing, it makes all the difference in the world on what railroad it is running, and what city is its destination. There are certain branches of knowledge over which both ordinary and limited trains should run; there are other branches which offer little benefit for speedy railroad excursions. Under President Hyde's plan, the courses to which these best students are to be admitted are merely the same courses which already comprise the curriculum. The plan then is merely superimposed upon the existing curriculum, with whatever faults the latter may have. It is our belief that this measure, valuable though it is, does not go to the root of the matter, and that though it may mitigate the faults connected with the curriculum, it cannot adequately correct them.

We wish to offer our suggestions upon the plan and organization of the curriculum, or rather upon its planlessness and disorganization. President Hyde in his annual report, likened the curriculum to a meal; if we may be permitted to continue the analogy, we should compare it to a quick lunch counter, where a boy ignorant of dietetics can choose anything that his fancy dictates. For of the 36 courses required for graduation only five, or 14% of the whole, are required for all students.

Our first suggestion is that certain required courses be added to the curriculum.

Bowdoin College, like all other colleges, is preparing men for life, and there is a unity of

experience that needs to be known and mastered by all men, before they can claim to be educated. The channels through which life runs are not wholly isolated from each other, but are so closely bound up together that some knowledge of the whole is necessary. The college should impart to its students a sense of life's unity. This unity cannot be comprehended if men are allowed to pick and choose as they list among the subjects of the college curriculum.

But some one will immediately ask, "Is not this a return to the scholasticism that prevailed before the introduction of the free elective system?" Not at all. The reaction by President Eliot of Harvard against Butler's Analogy as the chief intellectual pabulum of the college youth was a healthy movement in its day, because the old required curriculum was ill adapted to the social life of the time. It prescribed a narrow ministerial training for all students, three-quarters of whom would never become ministers. But the fact that this system of required courses was wrong does not prove that all systems of required courses need be wrong. Today's problem is to find a curriculum that is adapted to the life that goes on about us; that shall not be aimless or wandering; that shall not be narrow; but that shall be rich in both culture and practical knowledge.

Another pressing problem is that of "snap" courses. Every college has some of these unlovely sisters, and at times it seems as though Bowdoin were plentifully supplied with them. In them all the emphasis is laid upon the student as sponge, absorbing the instructor's words, rather than upon the student as scholar investigating matters for himself. What is more natural than that men should take advantage of the elective system and follow the line of least resistance, by choosing for the most part these same "snaps"? These courses thus act as a drag upon other more ambitious ones, for if an instructor maps out a thorough course, he is apt to find his rolls decrease, while those of his neighbor swell.

Back, however, of "snap courses" and the elective system, lies the intellectual apathy of the average undergraduate, who attends lectures as a necessary evil, but who feels little or no curiosity as to why things are, and how they came to be. It is only in matters outside the course of study that he takes much interest; it is only in college activities that he really expresses himself, and realizes his own personality. Yet, there is little reason why the composition of a sonnet or a study of the courses of the world war should not be as interesting as the mastery of the pole vault or the management of the ORIENT.



But to the Bowdoin student, it is not so. He prefers the "movies" to Euripides, petty deals in college elections to political ideals, and the Sunday paper to Shaw and Wells. His mental habits are those of the tired business man, rather than of the alert seeker after knowledge, and he accepts customs handed down to him without ever enquiring as to their origin or present value. In these evils of student life, we are afraid that the fault rests with the curriculum as well as with the students. The main tent is so dreary, small wonder that they prefer to spend their nickels upon the Strong Man, the Bearded Lady, and the Snake Charmer.

To be sure, other colleges suffer from the same difficulties, but that does not furnish an excuse for us to remain as we are. Our motto should not be "Others are as bad as we," but rather "We must excel others."

If these things are so, and we believe they are, what is to be done? What is the road to intellectual quickening that we must find? Whether our graduates are to be doctors, lawyers, or indian chiefs, there are certain uniform things which they all need. They must all be citizens of the political state; they must be able to enjoy culture, whether of the printed page, or towering spire; they must fit into this social system of ours, with its clashes of capital and labor, of far west and near east, with its racial and linguistic conflicts. Yet in all these things they should not be content if they merely have adapted themselves to their environments,—a moth can do as much,—but they should also be able to adapt their environment to them and to their fellows. They must play their part in conscious evolution and shape nature towards the happiness and development of man. Such are the duties for which the college should prepare.

This new curriculum must furthermore be made so alive that students will once more consider it respectable to be interested in intellectual affairs. One of the reasons for the present lack of interest is that the men rarely get a glimpse of things in their entirety, but are working in detached and isolated parts of the field. As Jane Addams has so clearly pointed out, the way to arouse interest in specific problems is to show their relation to the broader social whole; so in our curriculum if we give this insight into deeper things we shall furnish a framework to which the individual may attach information and facts that otherwise would not be connected.

In the first place, we propose a four years' course in the History of Civilization. Freshman year might be devoted to Social History—a survey of the anthropological background and the

economic and cultural development of the various races. Sophomore year might turn to a general course on the Problems of Philosophy—showing the origin and development of mankind's leading philosophical theories in relation to the other historic manifestation of their Zeitgeist. Junior year might follow this up with a History of Politics and Government. And Senior year might round out the field with a survey of Art and Culture.

These courses in the historical method should not be concerned solely with the accumulation of facts that have occurred in the past; that past should be studied, not as a thing in itself, but insofar as it bears on the present. This is the new theory which saves history from the musty dreariness of much that has been labeled "historical." By this means a man may join Chesterton and Heraclitus, and determine whether the breakdown of popular government at Athens gives a reason why we should reject the initiative and referendum in our own country.

No less important than a grasp of the historical method is a grasp of the scientific. We therefore favor as another required course a general Introduction to Science. This should include something of the main principles of Physics, Chemistry and Biology, with work in the laboratory.

As to English, our training should comprise a more thorough drill in the fundamentals of Composition; and to this end it would probably be necessary to increase the number of assistants in English I and II in order to ensure sufficient individual attention. In addition, we should have a minimum of a year of English Literature, with optional courses in the literature of other countries.

As for the so-called "cinch" courses, the problem would be partially solved by making the other work so interesting that the men would scorn to take such a short cut to a degree. But the faculty can always jack up a weak course by requiring outside reading, and this remedy should be sternly applied.

Finally, we advocate a clearing-house for alumni opinion on these and kindred topics. The Athletic and the Christian Associations have their alumni boards; why should not intellectual interests have theirs? This body might properly be responsible to the general Alumni Council, and should be ready to garner all academic brickbats and bouquets, and distribute them to their proper destination.

The program that we have outlined, tentative though it is, is not specialized but catholic in its extent, as it embraces both physical and social science. It may, however, seem over-ambitious

to some and inadequate to others; but the situation that it is framed to meet is, we venture to say, indisputable. We therefore invite the attention and discussion of alumni, faculty and students to this situation and to our proposed remedy. We utter these suggestions not in the spirit of carping criticism, but in the light of constructive service, for as George Bernard Shaw once said, "Show me a thing that is perfect, and I will show you a thing that is dead." We do not believe that Bowdoin College is dead.

This article represents in general the convictions of the undersigned.

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MAX CUSHING '09,  
LAWRENCE DAVIS '11,  
CLIFTON O. PAGE '13,  
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### THE CURRICULUM

"What is the most unpromising material for an interesting news-story?" was one of the examination questions in a certain course in journalism. One of the best answers was, "The College Curriculum." While chewing his fountain-pen on the recollection of this fateful episode, and endeavoring to figure out the exact divergence between graduate and undergraduate viewpoints in regard to his topic, the present editor was handed a proof-sheet of the letter printed in the present issue: a vital and interesting letter on the curriculum, and signed by nine recent graduates. For him the letter was a star new-risen over a dark land; he decided at once to hitch his rusty wagon to this star.

Most compelling is the final suggestion in the letter, the proposal of a board or committee to serve as "a clearing-house for alumni opinion" concerning the curriculum. We hope that the alumni in general, and the Alumni Council in particular, will give this matter their attention. Surely, under ideal conditions, one of the most effectual forces for shaping the scheme of college courses should be the after-thought of men who have actually taken those courses. But earnest care would be necessary to make the project a success. We have in mind a certain college on this continent the curriculum of which is supposed to be shaped by a senate made up of professors and representatives elected by the alumni. As a matter of fact, the alumni representatives' function is just about zero: first, because they are elected by the whole body of the

alumni (to most of whom they are strangers) for a long term of years and without any special regard to their qualifications for the task in hand; and secondly, because their voices are swamped by those of the professorial experts with whom they sit in session. But there is no reason why a committee of the alumni, carefully chosen by a limited electorate and subject to constant change and improvement, should not accomplish something worth while. If such a committee, however, wished to have more than a merely critical and advisory function, it would have to buckle down to arduous preliminary investigations before launching its proposals. It would have to study the present and past curricula of this and similar colleges; to ponder over the records of curricular discussions which have occurred at faculty meetings; and to take into account the financial resources of the college, as well as the human capacities of the instructors and students. After so doing, it would be in position to urge some plan susceptible of present fulfilment. For instance, it could give a more tangible shape to what seems to us the next most important idea contained in the letter: namely, that more courses should be put on the required list, and that they should be so arranged as to provide more coherence and unity of purpose for the undergraduate's labors.

This proposal is an outcome of the time-spirit. It expresses an opinion which of recent years has been gaining more and more ground among the younger college alumni and instructors throughout the country. College faculties, too, have felt this time-spirit and have endeavored in various ways "to find a curriculum" (as the letter well puts it) while at the same time retaining the gains which have accrued from the elective system. That no scheme which can be considered generally satisfactory has yet been evolved, can be partly accounted for by the fact that the American college curriculum, in general, has not yet fully completed the period of expansion inspired by the elective idea. From this point of view, let us consider the Bowdoin college curriculum. Passing over such earlier additions as Economics, Education and certain of the sciences, let us note the growth which has taken place within the past ten years. In the catalogue for 1905-1906, 107 courses were listed; today there are 55 more. This increase, in so far as it took place in already existing departments, is distributed as follows: Biology 5, Chemistry 2, Economics and Sociology 3, Education 2, English Composition 2, English Literature 5, German 4, Greek 2, History and Government 6, Latin 3, Mathematics 2, Psychology 1, Physics 2. Six-

teen of the new courses, however, are in new subjects: Art 2, Biblical Literature 1, Italian 4, Music 5, Surveying and Drawing 4.

The undergraduate is thus confronted, at the present time, with 162 courses, only a very few of which, as the letter emphasizes, are absolutely required. But it must be remembered that his choice is restricted and guided by departmental prerequisites (108 courses demand each a prerequisite of one or more college courses) and by the requirements for major and minor subjects. Two years ago the faculty tightened these requirements a little, in the belief that the major subject constituted a natural curricular nucleus for the student's work. He must now choose the courses for his major and minor subjects before the close of his sophomore year, and secure the advice and approval of the department in which he is majoring. Last year the possibility of a further stiffening in these requirements was considered. This question, then, cries for an answer: is or is not the student's chosen major subject a proper curricular nucleus, to be developed as the unifying principle of his college work and to serve, at the same time, as the guardian of the gains accruing from the elective method?

The letter before us does not touch this question. It proposes, in effect, to require of all students six one-year courses: a year of literature, and five other courses not at present given, in the form specified, at Bowdoin. Of these five, four are generalized historical courses, to be assigned to the four college years in the following order, beginning with the freshman year: Social History, Problems of Philosophy, Politics and Government, Art and Culture. In meditating upon this plan, the first question that occurred to us was whether it were in accordance with the psychology of the growing student, who necessarily puts forth branches in several diverse directions at one time: whether it would not tend to render the student mind too predominantly sociological in the first year, abstruse in the second, political in the third, and artistic in the fourth. Secondly, we wondered just how and in what degree the proposed new courses should displace the present courses or be related to them. Then there came to our mind a certain other scheme for curricular organization which was communicated to us, not long ago, by an alumnus of another college. According to this scheme, the college curriculum should follow, in so far as practicable, the course of human history: in the freshman year the emphasis should fall chiefly upon ancient times, in the sophomore year upon the Middle Ages, and in the two last years upon the modern period. In the freshman year, the

following one-year courses would be required:

(1) History of Greece and Rome; (2) First Semester, Social History (of the same general nature as the course described under this designation in our letter, but concerned specifically with the ancient world); Second Semester, the Principles of Art and the Development of Ancient Art; (3) First Semester, Introduction to Philosophy and Ethics; Second Semester, Ancient Philosophy and Science; (4) Latin or Greek. Required English composition, in this plan, is postponed to the sophomore year, the idea being that then the student would have more topics to write about. In the junior and senior years, the required work is reduced to a minimum in order that the student may develop his major subject; the few electives allowed him in his first two years are supposed to have been chosen with this end in view. Now, this scheme, while it does not entirely meet with our approbation, provides something of the unity aimed at by the plan given in our letter, and may have also the following special advantages claimed for it by its author: it endeavors to preserve the best features of the elective method, it follows the psychology of the growing student (its author remarks, in this connection, that "the history of the world is repeated in the growth of the individual"), it is based predominantly upon courses already in existence in most colleges, and finally it avoids requiring too much "generalized" work.

Let us dwell upon the last point. The letter before us assumes that "the intellectual apathy of the average undergraduate, who attends lectures as a necessary evil," and also the dreariness of "the main tent," may be relieved by generalized courses which will show the relation of details to "things in their entirety." The principle of having a certain amount of generalized study is certainly a sound one: it is recognized in the general courses which at present face the student on the threshold of each departmental curriculum; it is recognized still further in the anonymous scheme discussed above. In the letter before us, however, it is carried to an unprecedented, even if logical, extreme; and we are forced to wonder just to what extent the interest of "the average undergraduate," at the present stage of human history, could be won for the very general and abstract ideas which would necessarily be the stock-in-trade of the proposed new courses. Hard experience seems to show that his interest is often preoccupied by particular and concrete things to do and see, whether inside or outside "the main tent;" as, indeed, the seventh paragraph of the letter itself intimates. Teachers of science, at Bowdoin as elsewhere, have been be-



forehand in their recognition of the pedagogical importance of this fact: it is at the root of the development, still proceeding, of laboratory and observational work conducted in connection with science lectures. And it is at the root of those twin developments, quite distinctive of Bowdoin, which have appeared in the sphere also of the humanities: namely, the conference method and the so-called "limited train" or "Pullman car" method of instruction. Among other aims, these two methods have in common the aim of bringing the student into vital contact with particular and tangible problems. The conference method thus endeavors to break through "the intellectual apathy of the average undergraduate." In essentially the same manner, the "limited train" course, which is simply a limited conference group in advanced work, endeavors to carry further the development of the few students who happen to be particularly fitted for some special branch of study.

Particularly in history and the literatures the conference method flourishes, and arms the teacher of these comparatively generalized subjects with something, at least, of the agencies of the linguist and the scientist. Various visitors, including some of the alumni, have been sufficiently interested to attend some of the conference groups at Bowdoin. Just now we shall confine ourself to a word or so about the "limited courses." It is to be noted that in the majority of Bowdoin departments, there are upper class courses which, on account of prerequisites, limit themselves by a process of natural selection. It is merely a hastening, so to speak, of this process, which provides the membership of the limited courses so-called. The distinctive methods employed in each of these courses cannot here be treated in detail. Two courses, it is interesting to notice, are developing a direct practical relationship with Maine life. The course in Municipal Government, through its bureau for research in this subject, has during the past twelve-month been of signal service to Maine villages and towns, while at the same time supplying itself through the same agency with concrete problems for class-study. With this course, the alumni have had opportunity of becoming acquainted through public notices. A limited course in Zoölogy, which has just been instituted, has a line of connection with the summer life of Maine. Among its students will be some who will afterwards in summer camps give instruction in the ecology and behavior of the animals which the campers will have the opportunity of observing. The essential aim of the course, however, is to provide concrete field-work, in the neighborhood

of Brunswick, for students who have attained the requisite academic equipment. Those in charge will accompany the students to the haunts of the animals and birds under consideration, and in class-meetings will superintend the discussion of results. That a condition of the very existence of such classes is the selection and limitation of membership can readily be perceived. This point may be illustrated further in connection with two of the other "Pullman" courses. The distinctive feature of the course in advanced English composition is the meeting together, every six weeks, of the instructors and the students for the purpose of reading aloud and criticizing the work done in the interim. The students have thus a definite audience and a definite occasion to write for. The occasion, however, would not only be unfruitful if the writing were not predominantly of the very best; it would be quite impossible if more than six or seven students were admitted. The latest of the limited courses is being instituted at present in the department of Economics. Its specific aim is to increase the student's ability to read critically the literature of economic theory and history. In preparation for class-discussion, each member will be assigned the writings of a different author and required to master this author's opinions on the special topic in hand. The membership will be limited to ten upper-classmen selected from applicants who have passed the introductory courses. It will be noticed that this course, like the others, has an aim and a method which can be followed only under "limited train" conditions.

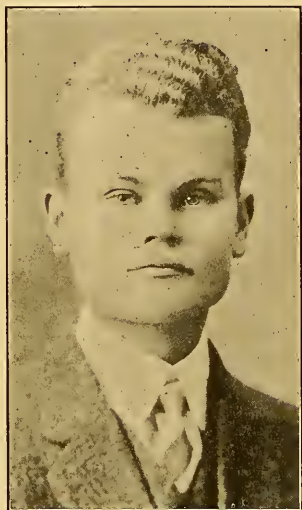
In dwelling upon these specific attempts to illuminate "the main tent," we have not intended to submerge the important point dwelt upon in the letter: namely, the need of an articulated curriculum involving more required courses. But we have endeavored to suggest the complete circumference of the problem,—together with the values which the elective principle has fostered by demanding large scope for the student's choice and by encouraging the instructor to design special courses for special needs.

G. R. E.

#### COFFIN CHOSEN RHODES SCHOLAR

Robert P. Coffin '15 of Brunswick has received the appointment as Rhodes Scholar from Maine this year and will study at Oxford the next three years. Coffin graduated last June at the head of his class, taking his degree *summa cum laude* and winning the Goodwin Commencement Prize, the Hawthorne Short Story Prize and the Pray English Prize. He was elected to Phi Beta Kappa his junior year and last spring was selected for

the Henry W. Longfellow graduate scholarship. He took the Oxford examinations two years ago and has been doing graduate work this year at Princeton. Four other Bowdoin men have won this great honor, David R. Porter '06, Robert Hale '10, Edward E. Kern '11 and Laurence A. Crosby '13.



Since 1910 the selection of the Rhodes Scholar in Maine has been by competition. In this competition, with a single exception, Bowdoin men have won. That our Rhodes scholars have made good at Oxford is evidenced by the facts that they have all maintained a high standard in their work; that Kern in 1913 was awarded a prize in Modern History; that last year Crosby took a "first" in the School of Jurisprudence; and that Bowdoin is among the very few small colleges in the United States graduation from which admits Rhodes Scholars as candidates for a degree without examination. There is no doubt that Coffin will uphold this high standard.

#### BUGLE NOTICE

The Junior *Bugle* assessment of ten dollars is now due, and each member of the class is urged to make prompt payment either to Crosby '17 or to Oliver '17. The individual pictures for the *Bugle* are now being taken by Webber and Juniors should see Crosby at once for their appointments.

#### NEW PANEL IN THE CHAPEL

The last of the panels in the chapel was filled during the Christmas vacation by a reproduction of Michael Angelo's "Delphic Sibyl." The painting was given by Dr. Frederic H. Gerrish '66 in memory of his brother, William Little Gerrish '64, who was an officer in the Union army and was killed at Petersburg, Virginia, in 1865. The reproduction is by Miss Edna L. Marrett of Portland. The panel in memory of Professor Chapman, which is the next at the left of the new one, is also by Miss Marrett.

#### PROFESSOR JOHNSON'S "DIVINE COMEDY"

The most distinguished accomplishment in letters at Bowdoin in recent years is the translation of the Divine Comedy by Professor Johnson, published last spring by the Yale University Press.

No one who is not familiar with the original can appreciate the exquisite fidelity of this line for line rendering, where even Dante's word-order is scarcely disturbed, where the vigor, the delicacy, the music of the poetic phrasing in one idiom are carried over intact into another. Few perhaps will realize the devoted craftsmanship of the long processes of testing, rejecting, selecting that have wrought this medium, worthy to transmit a great literary heritage. But the large company of the studious, who delight in each new conquest of English verse, to whom because of the unused talent Dante may have been

"One whom long silence seemed to have made hoarse,"

will appraise this work fairly and gratefully.

"Translation of the Divine Comedy is progressive," Mr. Johnson says in his preface. But of all such previous translations only one rightfully demands consideration in measuring Mr. Johnson's achievement, the prose version of C. E. Norton. In this rendering the goal of literal adequacy would seem to have been reached. Yet even here Mr. Johnson in numberless instances has outstripped his predecessor in the choice of the word that shall give the full impact of the Italian. In the matter of a larger faithfulness—structural truth and the transcription of essential beauty—his version is the first to meet the real challenge of the original in a rendering at once accurate and poetic.

F. W. B.

#### SOPHOMORES WIN INTERCLASS DEBATE

The annual Freshman-Sophomore debate was held Monday evening, Dec. 20, 1915, in the debating room of Hubbard Hall. The subject was: "Resolved, that a college curriculum should in-

clude military training." The speakers for the Sophomores, who supported the negative, were D. C. Roper, Jr., R. G. Albion, F. W. Jacob, with B. W. Norton as alternate. They maintained that if they could disprove the question for one class of college, they would have successfully refuted the question, and accordingly limited themselves to the small literary college, maintaining that military training in these colleges was unnecessary, unsuccessful and injurious. The Freshmen were represented by J. W. Curn, E. S. Paul, 2nd, and R. Foulke, F. B. Chadbourne being alternate. They argued that military training would be beneficial because of its value to the country, its value to the individual and other purposes. The judges, Dean Sills, Professor Catlin and Principal Gardner, awarded the decision to the Sophomores, on the negative side of the question. Kinsey '16 presided.

#### SATURDAY CLUB MEETINGS

At the Saturday Club meeting Thursday evening, Jan. 13, in Memorial Hall, Lady Gregory will give a lecture on London Memories. On March 16, in Memorial Hall, Irving Bacheller will read from *Keeping Up with Lizzie*.

#### SCHEDULE FOR MIDYEARS

The second tentative schedule of examinations for the first semester is as follows:

##### Thursday, January 27

8.30 A. M.	1.30 P. M.
Hygiene	Phil. 1
Art 1	Math. 3
Music 1	
Psych. 1	

##### Friday, January 28

German 3	French 1, 3, 5, 7
Zoölogy 9	Zoölogy 5
	English 5

##### Saturday, January 29

English 15	History 1
History 7	Zoölogy 1
Geology 1	Economics 3
Astronomy 1	Latin 5

##### Monday, January 31

German 13, 5	Chem. 1, Sp.
Greek A, 1, 3	Econ. 5
Music 3	
Psych. 3	

##### Tuesday, February 1

German 1	History 5
German 7	Pol. Sci. 3
Surveying 1	Music 5

##### Wednesday, February 2

Latin 1, 3	Physics 1, 3, 7
History 11	Latin A
Chem. 5, 7	

##### Thursday, February 3

Math. 1, 5	Economics 1
English 17	Greek 7

##### Friday, February 4

English 1	English 3
Spanish 1	Chem. 3
Italian 3	

#### ALUMNI ASSOCIATIONS AND CLUBS

In addition to the General Alumni Association, which meets annually at Commencement, and the newly-formed Alumni Council, which meets three times a year, the college has twelve alumni associations and two alumni clubs, which meet at various times during the year, and which are on the whole in an active and flourishing condition.

The Association of Androscoggin County, though one of the youngest, is one of the most active, and will hold its annual business meeting on February 18, probably at the DeWitt House in Lewiston. Last year's meeting was very successful, both from the standpoint of the enthusiasm aroused and from that of the variety of the speakers. Bates, Colby and Dartmouth were represented as well as Bowdoin. In June, 1915, the Androscoggin Association inaugurated an annual joint meet with the Kennebec Association at Tacoma Inn, the program consisting of a baseball game, dinner and speeches from Senator Johnson and Congressman McGillicuddy. It is planned to make this joint meet an annual affair.

The Association of Aroostook County, because of the distances separating the homes of its members, has only one meeting during the year. The meeting for 1916 will be held at Houlton at some date during the winter not yet decided.

The Bangor Association has already had two largely attended meetings this year. There are seventy-five Bowdoin men living in Bangor and about 125 in neighboring towns, nearly all of whom are members of the association.

The reports received from the Association of Boston and the Bowdoin Club of Boston are of an optimistic and encouraging nature. The Bowdoin Club has had three monthly dinners and plans to continue the custom throughout the year. The Association will hold its forty-eighth annual meeting at Young's Hotel Thursday evening, Jan. 13, at six o'clock. All Bowdoin men in Boston and vicinity, whether graduate or non-graduate, are invited. The list of speakers will be a



notable one, and special attention will be given to the musical side of the program.

The Association of New York will gather for its annual dinner Friday night, Feb. 4, at the Hotel Manhattan. The principal speakers as arranged thus far will be Admiral Peary, Major Putnam, Dr. Albee, Assistant Secretary of War Breckinridge and Dean Sills. Two distinguished alumni of the College in California will address the Association on a long distance telephone, a telephone at each man's place connecting him directly with San Francisco. Military preparedness and also fitting recognition of General Hubbard's service to the college are to be the themes of the evening.

The Association of Oxford County, which has been dormant for the past few years, has been revived with Hon. Addison E. Herrick of Norway as president, and plans to have a meeting at some time during the winter.

The Association of Philadelphia has made additions to its membership and is performing good service in interesting prospective students in Bowdoin.

The Bowdoin Club of Portland, recently formed, and the Association of Portland have made marked progress during the year. The Bowdoin Club has a membership of about 130. It was organized last March, and has had a regular business meeting on the third Thursday of every month with an informal lunch and a ten-minute speech generally by some one closely connected with the college. High school boys are invited to the meetings from time to time. The chief purpose of the club is social, but it has at the same time been of great assistance in many ways to the college. The annual meeting of the Alumni Association of Portland is to be held on Jan. 29.

The Association of Washington has a large and influential membership. The meeting of the Washington Association is more or less contingent on matters in Congress, and for that reason the date of the annual dinner has not yet been decided. It will probably take place during the latter part of February.

The great extent of territory embraced by the Western Alumni Association makes frequent meetings an impossibility, but an efficient organization is maintained, and the individual members are working for Bowdoin in their respective localities.

The next meeting of the Alumni Council is to be held in Boston on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 13. The raising of an Alumni Loan Fund; the establishment of a regular fund for athletics by

means of annual subscriptions; the granting by Bowdoin of credit towards a degree for military training in college and for attendance at the summer military camp at Plattsburg; and better representation of the College in the press are matters to be considered at this meeting.

#### RESOLUTION

FABIUS MAXIMUS RAY '61

Died November 23, 1915

How we shall miss him next June, at our final reunion! For there has never been a reunion of the class from which he was absent. It is hardly more than a month since, with enthusiasm, he, like every other surviving member of the class, promised to attend.

Ray deserved and won the respect and honor of all with whom he was associated, in every relation—socially, professionally, and politically. To us he was the last of our trio of class poets; a loyal, devoted, affectionate classmate, whose death leaves a void that cannot be filled.

EDWARD STANWOOD.

*Class Secretary.*

#### Alumni Notes

'40—Rev. Edward Robie, D. D., the oldest living graduate of the college, has been pastor of the Congregational Church at Greenland, N. H., since 1852.

'57.—Dr. Thomas U. Coe of Bangor, the senior alumnus in that part of Maine, is spending the winter in New York City.

'58.—By the death of Rev. Dr. Frank Sewall at Washington, D. C., on Dec. 7, a wide gap has been made in the ranks of the class of 1858. To his many natural gifts of mind Dr. Sewall brought a surpassing industry productive of uncommon results. As author and composer, essayist, poet and art critic, he accomplished achievements of great value. The greater part of his work relates to religious and philosophical discussion appertaining to the Church of the New Jerusalem of which he was a clergyman; but Dr. Sewall's mental versatility led him into other realms of thought and activity. His translation of the poems of Giosue Carducci from the Italian, with essays on the Hellenic revival in Italy, the *Sonnets of de Heredia* and *Les Trophées* from the French, together with his own contributions, *The Christian Hymnal*, the *Book of Prayer* and *Hymnal for the New Church*, and various magazine articles prove his love of the lyric muse.

The cause of education attracted much of his interest, as shown in his "Angel of the State, or the Kindergarten in the Education of the Citi-

zen," while the field of juvenile fiction is invaded by him in the sweet little story of "Angelo, the Circus Boy" and other tales carrying lessons of morality in alluring forms. Many articles in magazines and public addresses bear witness also to his fondness for the fine arts. His extended travel and study abroad fostered his taste for painting, sculpture and architecture. Immediately following his graduation at Bowdoin he studied at Tübingen and Berlin, and subsequently attended lectures at the Sorbonne in Paris, all of which gave him the scholarly equipment for which he became noted. He was a member of the National Society of Fine Arts, president of the Swedenborg Scientific Association, a member of other learned societies and also of the famous Cosmos Club of Washington.

Born of a distinguished family at Bath, Maine, in 1837, Dr. Sewall became the most distinguished of his kin, although an elder brother, the late Hon. Arthur Sewall, was in 1896 a candidate for the vice-presidency of the United States. During the twenty-five years of his residence, and pastorate of the New Church, at Washington, Dr. Sewall served as chaplain to the Bowdoin Alumni Association of that city at its anniversary celebrations, and his cheerful presence and face will be sadly missed by its members. His death leaves but six members of the class of 1858, namely, Bradley of Chicago, Cilly of Rockland and Drew of Lewiston, Me., Smith (Rev. Dr.) of Lawrence, Mass., and Spear and Jordan of Washington, D. C.

H. M. JORDAN,  
Sec. '58.

Medic '64.—Dr. Samuel Worth Johnson, a prominent physician of this state, died Nov. 22. He was a native of Albion, was educated in the public schools and Erskine Academy of China, and graduated from the Maine Medical School in 1864. He practiced in Dixmont for eighteen years, was prominent in town affairs, and represented that town in the Legislature in 1876. He had lived in Belfast since 1882 and was recognized as the dean of the medical profession in that city. He was one of the founders of the Waldo County General Hospital, was largely instrumental in its success, and passed his last days there. He was a member of the Maine Medical Society and other medical organizations, and for twelve years served as United States pension examiner. He was always prominent in Republican politics, and was collector for the port of Belfast for a term beginning in 1908. He was a thorough student, not only of medicine and surgery, but also of literature, and his chief diversion was

the study of the classics. He is survived by his widow, a son, and a daughter.

Medic '67.—Dr. Daniel Webster Wight, a prominent physician and resident of Casco Village, Me., and West Medford, Mass., died, Nov. 20, at his summer home in Casco, aged seventy-eight years. He prepared for college in the public schools of Casco and received the degree of M.D. from Bowdoin in 1867, after completing the regular course in the Medical School of Maine. His desire to take this course and to become a physician was gained through his experiences as clerk in the Augur General Hospital at Alexandria, Va., during the Civil War. After finishing his work at Bowdoin he married Miss Mary E. Jordan of Casco. He practiced medicine for six years in Sumner, Me., for six years in Winchester, Mass., and for twenty-three years in Pomeroy, Ia. Following this, he returned to Casco, where he built a summer home; he spent his winters in West Medford, Mass. He was the last of four sons and three daughters and left no children of his own. He is survived by his widow.

'68.—After an illness of several months, John Adams Hinkley, a life-long resident of Gorham, died on Dec. 15 at his home, at the age of 67 years. Mr. Hinkley was born in Gorham in March, 1848. After graduating from Bowdoin in the class of 1868, he taught school in the academy at Blue Hill, Me., for a few months. He then settled in his native town and engaged in the manufacture of leather. For many years he had been deeply interested in the Gorham Public Library, had served as trustee, and for five years preceding his death had been its librarian. He was trustee of the state normal schools from 1886 to 1898. He was a man of the finest character, of a brilliant mind, and of an unusually strong literary bent. He was always identified with all that was for the betterment of humanity and the uplift of the community in which he lived. He is survived by a brother, Charles K. Hinkley, of the class of 1866.

'70.—De Alva Stanwood Alexander is now reading the proof-sheets of a new book entitled "The History and Procedure of the House of Representatives," which is to be published in the early spring by Houghton Mifflin Co.

'73.—Royal E. Gould, superintendent of schools of Biddeford, died suddenly on Dec. 14 at his home. He was born in Biddeford Feb. 8, 1852, and was graduated from Biddeford High School and Bowdoin College. In 1872 he taught school in Woodstock, Conn., and in 1873 began the study of law with Wedgworth and Stone of Biddeford. He was admitted to the York County Bar in 1877, but was soon after elected to the School Board of

Biddeford and the following year to the principalship of the Spruce Street Grammar School. He was later superintendent of schools in Somersworth, N. H., and in Biddeford.

'74.—Marshall W. Davis is now in his thirtieth year of continuous service as instructor in modern languages in the Roxbury (Mass.) Latin School.

'74.—Dr. James R. Day is completing his twenty-second year as chancellor of Syracuse University.

'74.—Cassius M. Ferguson and Thomas Kneeland are prominent lawyers in Minneapolis, Minn. Mr. Kneeland has been a member of the Legislature since 1909.

'74.—Dr. Charles H. Hunter has been professor of the Theory and Practice of Medicine in the University of Minnesota for thirty-six years.

'74.—Ernest S. Hobbs is manager of a large cotton mill in Aurora, Ill. He has been engaged in the cotton manufacturing business continuously since his graduation from college.

'74.—Thomas C. Simpson is a judge in Newburyport, Mass. He has also served as representative to the General Court, United States collector of customs, and as mayor.

'75.—Charles L. Clarke is now a consulting engineer of the General Electric Co., in Schenectady, N. Y. His address is 109 Glenwood Boulevard.

'77.—Colonel George L. Thompson will retire from the Brunswick postmastership this month. Colonel Thompson has been postmaster of Brunswick for twelve years under successive appointments by Presidents Roosevelt and Taft. His administration of the office has been marked by many important reforms and improvements, and his long service has given universal satisfaction to the people of Brunswick. His retirement is due to the change of national administration and will be regretted throughout the community.

'77.—Dr. George T. Little, whose death in August last is known to all the alumni, as the months pass is missed not less poignantly in all the activities of the college and the community. His was a life of wide educational influence and of broad Christian service.

'77.—Rear Admiral Peary has been speaking in Portland, Bangor and cities outside of Maine in advocacy of three lines of national policy that seem to him of the first importance. In addressing the Rotary Club in Portland he outlined "a great, peaceful federation of prosperous states, impregnable in their union, with boundaries—the Oceans and the Poles—laid out by the Creator for that very purpose." He has also sought to have a retired army officer assigned as military

instructor of such large Maine camps for boys as may desire his services. And he has been most earnest in advocating the establishment of aeronautical patrol stations up and down the Atlantic coast, beginning with Casco Bay. "When the system is in operation," he declared, "there will be, far out at sea, a continuous cordon of whirling shuttles, the eyes of the nation, ceaselessly weaving their curtain of protection round the entire country."

'81.—At a meeting of the trustees of the Augusta (Maine) Savings Bank, held Friday morning, Frank E. Smith was elected a trustee to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. Treby Johnson. Mr. Smith was born in Augusta, May 6, 1860, and was graduated from Cony High School in 1877 and from Bowdoin in the class of 1881. He at once entered the business of banking and was many years in Boston. He has been treasurer of the Augusta Trust Company since its organization and is considered one of the conservative and able banking men of the state.

'82 and '89.—Hon. Edwin U. Curtis of Boston and William M. Emery of Fall River, Mass., were members of the Massachusetts State Anti-Suffrage Committee during the campaign that closed with the recent November election.

'85.—David P. Howard is senior member of the law firm of Howard & McCrillis, with offices in Hot Sulphur Springs and Denver, Col.

'89.—Dr. Daniel Owen, formerly teacher in the Penn Charter School, has accepted a position as assistant professor of English at the University of Pennsylvania.

'89.—Bernard C. Carroll is general agent of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co., with headquarters in San Francisco.

'89.—Wilbur D. Gilpatrick is with Little, Brown & Co., the Boston book publishers.

'89.—Charles H. Harriman is engaged in the practice of law in New Haven, Conn.

'89.—Rev. Charles F. Hersey is making a great success of his work as city missionary of New Bedford, Mass., a post he has filled for 22 years.

'89.—F. J. Libby is practicing law at East Douglas, Mass.

'89.—Earle A. Merrill is engaged in the dual capacities of practicing attorney and real estate operator at Westfield, N. J.

'89.—Edward N. Shirley, a former member of this class, is in the lumber business in Cincinnati.

'89.—George Lyman Rogers is the efficient secretary of the Metropolitan Park Commission, Boston, and is one of the best known men on Beacon Hill.



'89.—Lincoln J. Bodge is practicing law in Minneapolis.

'89.—Clarence L. Mitchell is with the Boston School Supply Co., in Boston.

'92.—John C. Hull has been practicing law for three years in Leominster, Mass. Immediately after resigning his position as principal of the Leominster High School three years ago he was elected a member of the School Committee and has since served in that capacity. This month he is to take his seat under the "Gilded Dome" as one of the two first representatives to the General Court from the "baby" city of the Commonwealth —Leominster.

'93.—A. Marshall Jones, president and general manager of the Marshall Jones Co. (Boston), publishers and booksellers, has announced as his latest publication *The Mythology of All Races*, in twelve volumes. This work will be especially valuable inasmuch as hitherto no attempt has been made to collect the myths of all the world into a single series.

'94.—Rev. G. C. DeMott, who has been assistant rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, Jersey City, N. J., since October, 1914, has been acting rector since the death of Rev. Mr. Hadley last summer. This is the largest church of the denomination in New Jersey.

'94.—C. A. Flagg has been chosen a member of the Standing Committee of the Maine Historical Society, to succeed the late Dr. George T. Little.

'94.—C. E. Michels is superintendent of schools for the Windham Northwest District, Vt., with headquarters at Londonderry.

'94.—H. A. Ross, after a very successful fall as director of athletics at Phillips-Exeter Academy, is devoting considerable time to planning for the new gymnasium which is to be provided by the liberality of a benefactor.

'95.—Seth E. Pope has been transferred from the High School of Commerce in New York City to a better position in the Boys' High School of Brooklyn.

'95.—A. L. Dennison has declined a reelection as principal of the Kennebunk High School, and has returned to his farm in Wilton.

'95.—James E. Hicks is State Manager for Massachusetts of the Union Mutual Life Insurance Company. His office is at 50 State Street, Boston.

'95.—William E. Leighton, M.D., has gone to Europe for professional work connected with the war.

'95.—Born, August 18, 1915, Leona Melvina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Kimball of Waterford, Me.

'96.—A son, Mortimer Porsonya Warren, was

born Nov. 25 to Dr. and Mrs. Mortimer Warren of 24 Gramercy Park, New York City.

'97.—Dr. Robert L. Hull, M.D., is an orthopedic surgeon in Oklahoma City, Okla.

'98.—Albert C. Eames is manager of the Northwest Coast Claim Division of the Maryland Casualty Company, with offices in Portland, Oregon.

'98.—George L. Dillaway is a member of the firm of Coggan & Coggan, practicing in admiralty law in Boston, Mass. His home address is Wakefield, Mass., where he is a member of the Republican Town Committee.

'98.—Dwight R. Pennell is assistant manager of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company of Boston, Mass.

'98.—Alfred B. White is the senior member of the recently formed law firm of White & Barnes, Boston.

'99.—Sumner Charles Poor, principal of the Fulton Street Grammar School of Auburn, N. Y., died, Dec. 6, of typhoid fever. Born in Denmark, Me., he secured his preliminary education in the schools of that town and in the high school at Bridgton, and was graduated from Bowdoin in 1899. In college Mr. Poor was a good student and secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association. Upon leaving college he entered the teaching profession. He was an instructor in the Mitteneague (Mass.) Grammar School from 1899 to 1901, when he left to accept a similar position in the North Weymouth (Mass.) Grammar School. This position he held until 1907, when he was elected principal of the Adams (Mass.) Grammar School. After four years' service in this position he became principal of the Fulton Street Grammar School of Auburn, and held this position until his death. While in Auburn, he was also an instructor in the night school, assistant superintendent of the First Presbyterian Church Sunday School, and guide in numerous tourist excursions from Auburn. Regarding his ability as a teacher and his character as a man, H. D. Hervey, superintendent of the Auburn public schools writes: "His passing has been a great loss to the school and to the city and an even greater personal loss to me and those associated with him. He was a splendid man, untiring and absolutely loyal and devoted to the best interests of his school and all schools. Mr. Poor was of the best type of American citizenship."

Mr. Poor was married on June 19, 1900, by President Hyde and Rev. F. C. Todd of Brunswick to Miss Julia Augusta Bowker. He is survived by his widow, two sons and a daughter.

'99.—The New York *Evening Post* for December 18 contains the following notice: "In addition to being a professor at New York University and an author, Arthur H. Nason is a publisher, capable, as his new catalogue shows, of giving hints to his brethren in the trade. The catalogue is not one of the thick books that is required to hold the titles of the largest houses; on the contrary, it is a pamphlet, but a pamphlet which even the careless would hesitate to throw away without turning the pages to the end. For, besides being a catalogue, it is that most irresistible of publications, a picture-book. Every other page reproduces some illustration of interest, from The Arms of Sogliardo, taken from Professor Nason's 'Heralds and Heraldry in Jonson's Plays,' to scenes described in Emma Huntington Nason's 'Old Hallowell on the Kennebec.' The books advertised are not many, but they belong to the saving remnant, and the announcement of their virtues is in keeping with their high character."

'01.—Clemens A. Yost is teaching German at Trinity College, Durham, N. C.

'01.—Roscoe E. Whiting is junior member of the law firm of Baker & Whiting, in Florence, S. C.

'01.—Clarence B. Flint is head of Flint & Chester, Inc., of New York, dealers in railway, mill and contractors' supplies.

'01.—Walter L. Saborin has bought a half interest in the *Lansdale Reporter*, a weekly paper published at Lansdale, Pa. His partner is a Princeton man of the class of 1908. They took possession last November.

'01.—Lester D. Tyler was married on June 19 to Miss Marie Lawton of Germantown, Penn. He is living in Haverford, Penn., where he teaches in the Haverford school.

'05.—Mr. and Mrs. John H. Brett (Miss Tedesco Whitehouse Greenley), who were married at Yokohama on May 15, spent their honeymoon in Japan. They live in Peking.

'05.—Lieut. Harold E. Marr, U.S.A., returned from Hawaii last summer and is now stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

'05.—Lieut. "Cope" Philoon, U.S.A., writes from Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, anent preparedness, "It looks as though the country was really waking up to a serious consideration of the subject. It is high time, too. Heretofore an army officer who dared mention the subject has been laughed at and put down as trying to bring on war in order to gain promotion."

'05.—A daughter, Caroline Prince, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Riley on August 20.

'05.—A daughter, Mary Lawrence, was born

to Mr. and Mrs. William B. Webb of Wabasha, Minnesota, on July 18.

'05.—Louis D. H. Weld, Ph.D., is Professor of Business Administration in Yale University. His book on *The Marketing of Farm Products* is announced by the Macmillan Company.

'05.—Miss Alice Blake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Blake of Richmond, Maine, and Dr. James Albert Williams of Topsham were married on June 30 at the home of the bride. Dr. Williams was graduated from the Bowdoin Medical School in 1914.

'06.—Richard E. Shaw is a member of the staff of the International Banking Corporation at Hongkong, China.

'06.—Harold S. Stetson, with his wife and boy, is now located at Shanghai, China. He is senior sub-accountant with the International Banking Corporation.

'06.—Robie R. Stevens is manager of the Panama Branch of the International Banking Corporation.

'06.—Eugene E. Wing is in the Manila office of the International Banking Corporation.

'06.—Lester Gumbel has been appointed by Governor Hall to the membership of the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University.

'06.—Charles F. Jenks has accepted a position with the Houghton Wool Co., Boston, Mass.

'06.—William J. McDougald is now principal of the High School in Malden, Mass.

'06.—Dr. George Parcher is stationed at the U. S. Quarantine Station, Marcus Hook, Pa.

'06.—David R. Porter has been promoted to the position of executive secretary of the student department of the International Committee of Young Men's Christian Associations.

'07.—John H. Halford is general manager of James Lees and Sons Company, manufacturers of worsted and wool yarns. The factory of the company is located in Bridgeport, Pa.

'07.—William C. Sparks is director of recreation in Girard College, Philadelphia.

'07.—Roscoe H. Hupper was admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court on Nov. 3, 1915, his admission being moved by ex-Senator John C. Spooner. He appeared before the court in the suit brought by the government under the Sherman Anti-Trust Act against most of the trans-Atlantic steamship lines on account of certain agreements with respect to steerage traffic. Mr. Hupper is associated with the admiralty firm of Burlingham, Montgomery & Beecher at 27 William Street, New York City.

'08.—Joseph M. Boyce, a chemist and mining engineer, resides in Silverton, Colorado. He

spent the year 1914-15 in special study at Johns Hopkins.

'08.—Herbert S. Brigham, who has taught for two years in the Irving School of New York City, has accepted a more remunerative position in the Degan School for Boys at Portland, Me.

'08.—James M. Chandler is cashier of the Bozeman (Mont.) branch of the Warren Construction Company of Portland, Ore. He is married and has four daughters and one son.

'08.—Ridgley C. Clark is principal of the High School and superintendent of schools at Guilford, Conn.

'08.—William W. Fairclough, who travelled in Europe in 1914-15, is teaching modern languages in the Moses Brown School of Providence, R. I.

'08.—Harry H. Hayes, after seven years service in the London and Manila offices of the International Banking Corporation, is now employed in the New York office.

'08.—Sturgis E. Leavitt is instructor in the Romance Languages at Harvard.

'08.—Kent Packard was married on June 12, 1915, to Miss Edna S. Darrah of Philadelphia. He is in the insurance business.

'08.—David T. Parker and Miss Vera Wheadon were married at Portland, Me., August 25, 1915. Mr. Parker is in business in Portland.

'08.—Carl M. Robinson of Portland has been appointed first lieutenant of the United States Medical Reserve.

'08.—Rufus E. Stetson is engaged in the general practice of medicine in New York City.

*Ex-'08.*—Christopher Toole, an insurance broker of Buffalo, N. Y., was married on June 16, 1915 to Miss Ada M. Hurd, also of Buffalo.

'08.—Chester H. Yeaton has been granted the degree of Ph.D. by the University of Chicago. He received his A.M. from Harvard in 1909; was instructor in mathematics at Union College during the year 1910-11; held the same position in Northwestern University from 1911 to 1913; studied in the University of Chicago Graduate School from 1913 to 1915; and is now assistant professor of mathematics at Northwestern University.

'09.—Harold H. Burton has resigned his position with the Legal Department of the Utah Power and Light Company at Salt Lake City, to accept a position as attorney for the Electric Investment Company, with offices at Boise, Idaho.

'09.—On December 14, 1915, in Portland, occurred the marriage of Dr. James Melvin Sturtevant of Dixfield and Miss Bhima Gertrude McDonald of Portland. They are to make their home in Dixfield. Dr. Sturtevant is a graduate of the Maine Medical School in the class of 1914.

'10.—Edward Curtis Matthews, Jr., of Portsmouth, N. H., and Miss Beatrice Marie Henley of Brunswick were married at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Benjamin L. Furbish, on December 6, 1915, by President William DeWitt Hyde. The bride is a graduate of Wellesley in the class of 1914. The groom is the treasurer of the Piscataqua Savings Bank of Portsmouth, N. H., in which city the couple reside at 736 Middle Street.

*Ex-'10.*—Harold W. Davie is sales manager of the Schuylkill Silk Mills, makers of "Patrician Products," of Reading, Pa., and is also a director in the company.

'11.—Charles H. Byles, pastor of the Pacific Congregational Church, Chicago, Ill., was married on Oct. 19, 1915, to Miss Elsie Dyer of Chicago.

'11.—Walter N. Emerson has taken a position with the American Multigraph Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

'11.—Ernest G. Fifield is connected with the law office of White and Case, 14 Wall Street, New York City.

'11.—John L. Johnson has entered upon the practice of medicine in Houlton, Me. He was graduated from the Maine Medical School in June, 1915, and on Sept. 5, 1915, he was married to Miss Marie F. Silk of Staten Island, N. Y.

'11.—Chester E. Kellogg is instructor of Psychology at the University of Minnesota.

'11.—Edward E. Kern is private tutor for the son of H. H. Rogers.

'11.—William Folsom Merrill was married on October 11, 1915, to Miss Jeannette F. Lander of Bingham, Me. He is now a member of the law firm of Merrill & Merrill, Skowhegan, Me.

'11.—Frank H. Purington is salesman with the Odell Paper Manufacturing Co., New York City. On Sept. 15, 1915, he was married to Miss Elsa C. Schroeder, Dorchester, Mass.

'11.—E. Baldwin Smith is instructor in Italian Painting and Sculpture and Ancient and Medieval Architecture at Princeton University.

'11.—Joseph C. White has begun the practice of law at Bangor.

'12.—The engagement is announced of Leland G. Means and Miss Sally Kimball, both of Portland.

'12.—Loring Pratt is in the advertising department of the Edison Lamp Works at Harrison, N. J.

'12.—Harold P. Vannah of Newport, Vt., and Miss Bessie R. Locke of Augusta were married in Augusta on December 22. Mr. Vannah won Phi Beta Kappa honors, and held the position of alumni editor of the *ORIENT*. After graduation



he was connected with the State Laboratory of Hygiene in Augusta and with the United States Experimental Station at Orono, and is at present buyer for H. P. Hood & Sons of Boston, with headquarters at Newport, Vt.

'13.—Paul H. Douglas is doing graduate work in sociology at Harvard.

'13.—Josiah S. Brown has finished his work with the Hospital Trust Company of Providence, and is now with the Boston Paper Manufacturing Co.

'13.—Clifton O. Page has resigned his position with the American Telephone Co., and is now principal of Scarboro High School.

'13.—Laurence A. Crosby, our Rhodes Scholar, was home for a visit during the summer and has returned to Oxford.

'13.—Albert D. Tilton is now connected with the Aberthaw Construction Company at New Haven, Conn.

'13.—H. Burton Walker has severed his connection with the Houston Electric Company of Houston, Texas, and has entered the Maine Medical School.

'13.—The engagement of Miss Retta Morse and Fred D. Wish, Jr., both of Portland, is announced. Miss Morse is a graduate of Boston University, while Mr. Wish is a member of the faculty of the Portland High School.

'15.—Paul L. Wing is at the Harvard Law School.

'15.—A. Keith Eaton is a chemist in the employ of the Oriental Tea Co., of Boston.

'15.—Edward R. Elwell is with the Goodyear Rubber Co., in Akron, O.

'15.—Gordon P. Floyd is in the automobile business in Portland.

'15.—William T. Livingston and Ivan C. Merrill, who are now students in Union Theological Seminary, New York, have been recently elected to membership in the Andiron Club of New York City, an association of writers, university instructors, musicians and artists, who are the editors and publishers of a literary monthly, *The Colonade*. This election of two recent Bowdoin *Quill* men is especially gratifying; for among the prime movers in the founding of the Andiron Club eight years ago were two former editors of the *Quill*, Arthur H. Nason '99 and Charles Wilbert Snow '07.

#### WHAT THE 1915 MEN ARE DOING

The graduates of the class of 1915 are scattered in the following pursuits: Graduate study 29, distributed as follows: law 7, P. L. Wing, W. O. Keegan, P. S. Smith, J. F. Rollins, C. A.

Brown, J. A. Lewis, F. S. Roberts; medicine 7, D. M. Mannix, M. C. Moulton, H. E. Allen, F. J. Lynch, C. C. Morrison, E. A. Stone, G. L. Cristy; business 6, G. W. Bacon, M. V. McKinnon, D. W. Rodick, G. A. McWilliams, O. R. F. Jones, P. W. Porritt; theology 5, J. W. Threlfall, W. T. Livingston, I. C. Merrill, J. C. MacDonald, R. J. Evans; agriculture, R. R. Mellon; education and English literature, A. H. MacCormick; English literature, R. P. Coffin; history, G. W. Ricker; business 24, J. C. Fessenden, P. D. Demmons, G. P. Floyd, C. M. Minott, H. M. Somers, A. B. Stetson, F. E. Knowlton, C. T. Rogers, E. R. Elwell, J. G. B. Lappin, K. A. Loring, G. D. Richardson, P. L. Card, R. M. Dunton, K. E. Ramsay, H. E. Verrill, S. West, M. H. Kuhn, F. W. Cox, R. K. Eastman, G. A. Hall, S. A. Melcher, E. C. Cooley, P. J. Koughan; teaching 15, W. C. Coombs, M. A. Hastings, A. G. Hildreth, G. H. Talbot, R. E. Bodurtha, H. M. Prescott, W. G. Tackaberry, D. K. Merrill, H. M. Chatto, B. L. Adams, E. H. Austin, H. A. Lewis, F. P. McKenney, C. E. Robinson; ministry 3, W. Aitchison, T. B. Bitler, E. P. Cutler; chemistry 3, A. K. Eaton, C. T. Perkins, V. P. Woodbury; agriculture, L. F. Dow.

#### DEBATING NEWS

The current year is regarded by those interested in debating as a critical one. In the three triangular debating contests which Bowdoin has held with Hamilton College and Wesleyan University, each college has won and lost. No visiting team has yet succeeded in winning a debate.

This year the question agreed upon for the debates concerns the adoption of Secretary Garrison's plan for military reorganization. A Bowdoin team supporting the affirmative will debate against Hamilton at Clinton, N. Y., while another Bowdoin team supporting the negative will debate against Wesleyan at Brunswick. The date, not yet finally determined, will be after the middle of March.

The system of awarding the Bradbury Prizes in connection with the trials for the intercollegiate debating teams has been changed enough to conform to the requirements of the triangular system. Two Bradbury debates are now held, on successive nights, with twelve men participating; the prizes are then awarded to the best and second best teams of the four. These debates will be held this year during the last week in February.

The interclass debate, between the Freshmen

and the Sophomores, was held on Dec. 20. For the second time in recent years it resulted in a decision for the Sophomores. The question was: "Resolved, That a college curriculum should include military training." The Sophomores supported the negative.

The two interscholastic debating leagues conducted by the Debating Council are also in active operation. These include, in League I, Edward Little (Auburn), Cony (Augusta), Lewiston High and Portland High; in League II, Biddeford, Brunswick, Lisbon Falls and Westbrook High Schools. The final debate in each league is held at Bowdoin in April. Last year Edward Little and Brunswick High were the champions.

L. H. Marston '17 was chairman of the committee in charge of the interclass debate; F. W. Jacob '18 is chairman of the interscholastic league committee. Of the Debating Council itself, A. C. Kinsey '16 is president, and H. M. Hescok '16, manager.

#### FRATERNITIES HOLD CHRISTMAS DANCES

All the fraternities held dances before the Christmas vacation. Friday evening, Dec. 17, Theta Delta Chi gave its dance and Alpha Delta Phi held its annual house party, with a reception Friday and a trip to New Meadows Saturday, besides dancing. Psi Upsilon and Delta Kappa Epsilon held a joint dance at the Psi Upsilon house Monday evening, Dec. 20, and Zeta Psi, Delta Upsilon, Kappa Sigma and Beta Theta Pi all entertained Wednesday evening, Dec. 22. Christmas decorations were in evidence at all these affairs.

#### THE BOWDOIN COLLEGE UNION

A communication to the ORIENT during the late spring of 1915 recalled the long recognized need of a building which would be to the entire student body what the fraternity house is to a small group of students. Immediately a plan was presented to the faculty. The old Sargent Gymnasium should be remodeled into an up-to-date, well-appointed college club house, and its privileges should be open to all Bowdoin men. Thanks to the liberality of friends and alumni of the college, President Hyde easily raised the funds necessary to begin work, and Felix A. Burton '07, architect, made a careful study of the situation.

Plans as finally presented called for a division of the gymnasium into three large rooms: one for billiards and pool, another for newspapers and magazines, and a third, the central room, in which students could meet around a huge fireplace for friendly chat and informal discussion. Also there were planned a check room, a counter,

and arrangements for the possible serving of luncheons. Originally it was proposed to build a large, comfortable porch about the doorway. Though carefully directed by Mr. Burton, the work has proceeded slowly, owing to a lack of suitable workmen and to the discovery of unsafe structural conditions in the building itself, but so far as present funds permit, all necessary work is finished and it is certain that the completed building will be a justification for every effort made.

The scheme of decoration throughout is paneling. The furnishings are in heavy fumed oak and leather, the most suitable that can be found. The floors are of maple, so stained as to harmonize with the furniture. The central feature of the whole building is a fourteen foot fire-place where six foot logs can easily be accommodated on the raised semi-circular hearth. About the fire-place is a heavily cushioned ingle-nook, and facing the hearth a leather covered settle, backed by a ten foot table. In this middle room the furniture is solid and of early English type. The Billiard Room contains a pocket table and a billiard table. As these are heavy in outline, they demand a corresponding heaviness in the other appointments. But the Reading Room, done in a much lighter style, is suitably furnished with chairs and tables of the Windsor type.

Dignity and comfort are the keynotes of the whole plan. The rooms compare favorably with the best the college has. As work advanced, and the value of the Union made itself more evident, it seemed right to those interested to make the rooms as serviceable and as permanently beautiful as possible, immune to incessant wear and tear, although to do so meant increased expenditure. As a result, however, the entrance porch which was included in the original estimate and which would improve greatly the appearance of the exterior of the building cannot at present be considered.

M. E. L.

#### CHANGE IN COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

There will be a change in the Commencement program next June in that on Wednesday of Commencement Week, the President's reception and the band concert will be held in the afternoon, and the Masque and Gown will present the Commencement play in front of the Art Building in the evening. This will give an opportunity for some novel lighting effects. It is also planned to turn one of the dormitories over to the alumni during Commencement Week as rooms are hard to secure in Brunswick at that time.

## CLASS REUNIONS

Six classes have already made definite announcements of their intentions to hold class reunions and to enter the competition for the Snow Cup at Commencement. Last June this reunion trophy was won by the class of 1890 which had back 71.4% of its membership. Its strongest competitor was the class of 1875 with 68.9%.

Probably the most interesting reunion at the Bowdoin Commencement next June will be that of the class of 1861, which will come back for its 55th anniversary. There are only 11 survivors of the class which was four times as large at graduation. Among these 11 are several men prominent in state affairs, among them being Frank L. Dingley of Lewiston, one of the leading newspapermen of the state; among others are Judge Lucilius A. Emery of Ellsworth, former chief justice of the state and a trustee of Bowdoin College, and Edward Stanwood of Brookline, Mass., former editor of the *Youth's Companion*, and also a trustee of the college.

Graduating as they did, two months after the outbreak of the Civil War, many of the members of the class entered the conflict. Gen. Thomas Worcester Hyde rose highest in the army, having been breveted brigadier general at the close of the war. He was a captain in the Seventh Maine Volunteers in the fall of 1861, and was promoted to colonel during the war. He received the medal of honor for valor. It is in his memory that the Hyde Athletic Building was given by his son, Hon. John S. Hyde, president of the Bath Iron Works. Charles A. Curtis rose to captain in the Fifth U. S. Infantry, William W. Eaton was major and surgeon. Albion Howe was a brevet lieutenant colonel of New York Heavy Artillery, and George B. Kenniston attained the same rank. Edward P. Loring was also a brevet lieutenant colonel, holding a commission over the colored troops as did Augustus N. Lufkin. Stephen H. Manning became colonel of Maine volunteers. William W. Morrell was a captain of volunteers when he was killed at Spottsylvania. Charles B. Rounds and Edward Simonton were promoted to infantry captains and Simonton later went into the regular army. Alpheus Spring Packard, later a noted naturalist, was a surgeon in the army as was George E. Stubbs. In the navy there was Joseph B. Upham who held the rank of assistant engineer. The class had one member fighting on the Confederate side, for Stephen M. Finger, a native of North Carolina, held a major's commission in the Southern troops. Another member who died in the war was Samuel Fessenden who was killed at Centerville, Va., in 1862. Altogether, 21 members of the class numbering 52, were engaged in the war. Not only has the class had an excellent military record but its members have gained fame in literary and legal lines as well.

The 11 survivors have all promised to be present at the reunion next June, although one of

them will have to come from California, expressly for the occasion. Arrangements have been made for the reunion dinner at New Meadows Inn. It is not often that a class holds its 55th reunion, and it is still rarer for the entire body of survivors to be present. They are a sample of the Bowdoin men of 50 years ago, and their reunion will be one of the features of the next Commencement.

The class of 1894 will hold a reunion annually on Thursday evening of Commencement Week, for the next three years, or until its twenty-fifth anniversary.

The class of 1895 has also decided to have a reunion every year until the twenty-fifth, and has engaged for that purpose Mr. Marston's house on Potter Street.

The class of 1896 will hold its 20th reunion next Commencement, and Philip Dana of Westbrook, Charles A. Knight of Gardiner and Francis C. Peaks of Dover constitute the committee of arrangements. The class hopes to have back at least 35, if not 40, of its 42 living members. It had 27 back at its tenth reunion and thirty at its fifteenth, and at no Commencement since graduation has it failed to have a dinner or to have fewer than seven men back. The members of the class who have died are Jerre H. Libby, Walter W. Fogg, Frank E. Bradbury and Clarence E. Baker.

The class of 1901 has rather broad plans in preparation for its fifteenth reunion in June, but they have not yet reached the stage where definite announcement is possible. All signs point to a very general return of the boys, many of whom have been consistent attendants at Commencement each year.

The class of 1906 will hold its tenth reunion at next Commencement. There will be a reunion dinner at New Meadows Inn on June 21. There is evidently keen rivalry between the classes of 1906 and 1861, as the following letter from the secretary of 1906 would indicate:—

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

In a recent issue of the ORIENT, there appeared a communication from the class of 1861 in regard to the "preparedness" of 1906, for the Commencement of 1916. The secretary of "that extremely youthful body," the class of 1906, respectfully informs Mr. Stanwood, of that exceedingly august and venerable body, the class of 1861, that the arrangements for the 1906 reunion banquet, were made last August. The secretary of 1906 ventures to hope that Mr. Stanwood will not be greatly disappointed to learn this. The class of 1906 will also enter the mad scramble for the Reunion Trophy. One member will journey from Alaska in order to swell the numbers and the class proposes to put up a stiff fight for the cup. The class of 1906 is indeed a vigorous infant and even 1861 may well look to her laurels.

LOUIS H. FOX,

*Secretary of 1906.*

Brooklyn, N. Y.,



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## UNION GOVERNORS ELECTED

The election of the Board of Governors of the new Bowdoin Union was held last Saturday and resulted in the following choice: Garland '16, chairman; Foster '16, McConaughy '17, Marston '17 and Savage '18. Professors Files and Langley had already been chosen by the Student Council as the faculty members. The undergraduate members will hold office until June 30, 1916, while Professor Files will serve until June 30, 1917, and Professor Langley until June 30, 1918.

## FOOTBALL SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED

The football schedule for next fall consists of nine games for the first time. New Hampshire State and Boston College have been dropped, the new teams being Holy Cross, Fort McKinley and Middlebury.

Sept. 23.—Middlebury at Middlebury.  
Sept. 30.—Fort McKinley at Brunswick.  
Oct. 7.—Amherst at Amherst.  
Oct. 14.—Wesleyan at Middletown.  
Oct. 21.—Colby at Brunswick.  
Oct. 28.—Bates at Brunswick.  
Nov. 4.—Maine at Orono.  
Nov. 11.—Holy Cross at Portland.  
Nov. 18.—Tufts at Medford.

## LECTURE IN UNION TONIGHT

John F. Tobin, president of the American Boot and Shoe Workers' Union, will speak at a public meeting in the Bowdoin Union this (Tuesday) evening. Mr. Tobin's connections with the American Federation of Labor have made him a man of international prominence. His subject will be, "The Necessity for Organization on the Part of Both Employer and Employee," as seen from the viewpoint of a laboring man.

## SOPHOMORE HOP FEB. 26

At the 1918 class meeting last Wednesday it was voted to hold a Sophomore dance, and a committee composed of Pendleton, chairman, Babbitt, Edwards, Freese, J. E. Gray and Mooers was chosen to take charge of the affair.

The present plan is to hold the dance on Saturday evening, Feb. 26. The choice of day will make it necessary to start the affair at 6.30 so as

to allow sufficient time for dancing before midnight.

## '68 PRIZE SPEAKING

The annual Senior prize speaking contest for the Class of 1868 prize will be held in Memorial Hall at eight o'clock Thursday evening, Jan. 20. The speakers are Don J. Edwards, Richard S. Fuller, Alfred C. Kinsey, Guy W. Leadbetter and Donald S. White. All students and the public are cordially invited to be present. Lovell's orchestra will furnish the music.

## RELAY TRIALS

A large squad is out for relay work this year, a good number of new men being mixed with the veterans. Two trials have been held and the men are rounding into condition satisfactorily. The first race in which Bowdoin will compete is the Coast Artillery games at Boston, Jan. 29. Bowdoin will probably compete against either Williams or Wesleyan. Time trials will be held this week to reduce the squad. The results last Saturday were as follows: Simonton, Webber and Crosby tied; Turner, Pirnie, Ireland, Wyman, Holbrook, Hamlin, Mosher, Hurlin.

## BRADBURY DEBATE TRIALS

The trials for the Intercollegiate and Bradbury Prize Debates will be held in Memorial Hall, Monday afternoon, Jan. 24. Each speaker will be allowed five minutes in which to discuss any aspect of the question, "Resolved, That Secretary Garrison's plan for reorganizing the military system of the United States should be adopted." The judges for the trials have not been selected as yet. Six principal speakers and two alternates are to be chosen to represent Bowdoin in the intercollegiate league contests against Hamilton and Wesleyan, March 23. Twelve principal speakers and four alternates will be selected to participate in the Bradbury Prize Debates, Feb. 24 and 25. Candidates should hand their names to Hescok '16 or Moran '17.

## FENCING MATCH FRIDAY

Manager Hargraves has secured four matches for the fencing team. The Bowdoin fencers will

meet Harvard at Cambridge, Jan. 21, Yale at New Haven, Feb. 11, and Springfield Training School at Springfield, Feb. 12. Bowdoin will also enter the intercollegiate fencing preliminaries to be held at Boston some time in March. Other dates are pending.

Coach White of Haverhill, Dr. Benson of Haverhill and Mr. Sawtelle of Augusta were at Brunswick last Saturday to witness the trials. Special thanks are due to Dr. Benson, as he left a large practice to come here to assist the men. It was decided to send J. E. Gray '18 and Hanson '18 to represent the college at the Harvard match. New trials will be held to pick the men to compete in the other matches.

#### REVISED BASEBALL SCHEDULE

At a meeting of the baseball managers of the four Maine colleges at Waterville Saturday it was decided that the state series should be, as last year, on the three game basis. Bowdoin has opposed the three game series because of the financial loss involved but owing to the desires of the other colleges consented to give it another trial. The baseball schedule as now arranged is as follows:

- April 11.—Harvard at Cambridge.
- April 12.—Trinity at Hartford.
- April 13.—Wesleyan at Middletown.
- April 14.—Dartmouth at Hanover.
- April 15.—Amherst at Amherst.
- April 19.—Bates at Lewiston.
- April 29.—Maine at Brunswick.
- May 6.—Colby at Brunswick.
- May 10.—Colby at Waterville.
- May 15.—Maine at Orono.
- May 17.—Tufts at Brunswick.
- May 20.—Tufts at Medford.
- May 24.—Colby at Brunswick.
- May 27.—Maine at Orono.
- May 30.—Bates at Lewiston.
- June 2.—Bates at Brunswick.
- June 21.—Alumni at Brunswick.

#### MUSICAL CLUBS OPEN SEASON

The Musical Clubs opened their 1916 season with a trip through central Maine last week. Wednesday evening they played in Bangor, Thursday in Skowhegan and Friday in Hallowell. The following program was presented:

##### PART I

1. Forward the White *Words by Robinson '14*  
Glee and Mandolin Clubs
2. (a) Violin and Flute Duet *Selected*  
Messrs. Stratton and Sturgis
- (b) Song of the Volga Boatman

##### Mandolin Quintet

3. The Chase *Geibel*  
Glee Club
4. The Campaign Meeting *Fuller*  
Mr. Fuller
5. Bowdoin, Here's to Thee  
*Composed and arranged by Mr. Kelley*  
Mandolin Club
6. Solo *Selected*  
Mr. Hill
7. (a) About Clocks *Hammond*  
(b) Keep a Goin' *Jacobsen*  
Glee Club

##### PART II

1. The Orient Land *Fuller*  
Glee Club
2. Solo *Selected*  
Mr. Thomas
3. Ivy and the Rose *Bennett*  
Mandolin Club
4. How Wigglesworth Attended the Fire *Fuller*  
Mr. Fuller
5. Ballad of Justification *Hammond*  
Glee Club
6. (a) Bowdoin Beata *Words by Pierce '06*  
(b) Phi Chi *Words by Mitchell '71*  
Glee and Mandolin Clubs

#### INTERSCHOLASTIC INDOOR MEET

The Bowdoin interscholastic indoor meet will be held in the Hyde Athletic Building, Feb. 12. The date of the meet has been set somewhat earlier than in previous years, to enable schools from Massachusetts to compete. The date has usually been that of the B. A. A. interscholastic meet in Boston, and Massachusetts schools have naturally been unwilling to enter an out-of-state meet on that date. The Athletic Council has ruled that, hereafter, schools from out of the state should be allowed to compete in Bowdoin interscholastic meets. It is hoped that there will be a large number of new entries this year. Forty-five high schools and academies in Maine and eighteen schools from outside of the state have been invited to compete.

#### GOVERNMENT OF THE UNION

At a meeting of the Student Council Jan. 11, Foster '16 of the Bowdoin Union committee submitted the following framework of government:

I. The governing board of the Union shall consist of seven members. It shall include from the student body two Seniors, two Juniors and one Sophomore. It shall include from the faculty two members.

II. Election.—The student members shall be

nominated by the Student Council, and elected by the members of the A. S. B. C. at their annual election in June, with the provision that an election shall be held on Jan. 15, 1916 to elect a board to govern from Jan. 1 to June 30, 1916. The faculty members shall be elected by the Student Council.

III. Term of Office.—The faculty members shall serve two years, one being elected annually, with the provision that at the first election one faculty member shall be elected for two years and one for one year. The student members shall be elected to serve one year, from July 1 to June 30, with the provision that the board elected on Jan. 15 shall serve until June 30, 1916. The faculty members elected at this meeting shall serve the time from Jan. 12 to June 30, 1916, from which their regular term of office dates. Both shall be eligible for re-election.

IV. The chairman of the board shall be the Senior receiving the highest number of votes.

V. The general administrative and financial policy of the board shall be left to the discretion of the board subject, however, to the approval of the Student Council.

Professor Langley was elected to serve for two years, from July 1, 1916 to June 30, 1918, and the intervening term from Jan. 15 to June 30, 1916.

Professor Files was elected to serve one year from July 1, 1916 to June 30, 1917, with the same provision that he also serve from Jan. 15 to June 30, 1916.

Nominations were also made for the governing board from the student body, to be voted on Jan. 15.

### BOSTON ALUMNI BANQUET

The 48th annual banquet and business meeting of the Alumni Association of Boston was held last Thursday evening at Young's Hotel. Edwin U. Curtis '82 ex-mayor of Boston, was toastmaster. Dean Sills outlined the proposed plan for military training at Bowdoin. He said that the college would probably offer an elective course in military training with an officer from one of the Portland forts as instructor. Professor Mitchell in his speech made a plea for greater respect toward democracy. Shumway '17 gave a short account of the condition of athletics at Bowdoin. D. F. Snow '01 spoke for the Alumni Council and reported on its work during the past year. E. C. Plummer '87 spoke very feelingly of the college of his day. He mentioned especially the loss occasioned by the death of Professors Robinson, Little, Lee and Chapman, who had been familiar

to many of the graduates. President Lowell of Harvard spoke of the latent military ability of college undergraduates and recommended military training in all colleges. The Association voted its regrets that President Hyde was unable to attend.

The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, Rev. Samuel V. Cole '74, president of Wheaton College; vice-presidents, J. F. Eliot '73 and Edwin H. Hall '75; secretary, R. L. Dana '01; assistant secretary, G. E. Kimball '04; treasurer, W. P. Stockbridge '09; chorister, T. L. Pierce '97. Among the one hundred graduates present were:—Edward Stanwood '61, Isaac B. Choate '62, Judge C. U. Bell '63, Moses C. Stone '65, Prof. E. S. Morse '71, Weston Lewis '72, Marcellus Coggan '72, John F. Eliot '73, Prof. E. H. Hall '75, Alfred E. Burton '78, Wm. P. Martin '80, Dr. N. W. Emerson '80, Edgar O. Achorn '81, Wm. W. Towle '81, Dr. John Dike '81, S. Stevens '82, W. W. Curtis '82, J. S. Norton '85, O. C. Scales '91, W. W. Thomas '94, H. E. Andrews '94, F. W. Dana '94, John Knowlton '95, J. B. Roberts '95, J. E. Hicks '95, Wm. E. Preble '98, W. D. Stockbridge '99, S. E. Young '98, Hanson H. Webster '99, Dr. M. S. Danforth '01, Dr. H. R. Webb '02, Dr. O. L. Dascombe '01, Robert Hale '10, Dr. J. A. Wentworth '09, Dr. W. E. Robinson '10, Chas. N. Abbott '08, H. W. Purington '08, A. W. Stone '10, H. L. Wiggin '11, A. H. Cole '11, G. W. Howe '11, A. G. Dennis '11, W. E. Mason, Jr., '14, Geo. U. Hatch '06, W. C. Powers '06, P. M. Clark '04, Chas. L. Favinger '06, Geo. P. Hyde '08, A. T. Gould '08, A. W. Hughes '09, C. S. Fuller '03, W. C. Towne '03, S. F. Dole '13, D. O. S. Lowell '74, Samuel V. Cole '74, Dr. D. A. Sargent '75, Dr. Myles Standish '75, D. Bradford '76, W. A. Robinson '76, F. R. Kimball '76, A. T. Parker '76, G. W. Parsons '87, C. M. Austin '87, Wm. M. Emery '89, F. M. Russell '89, F. M. Laiscott '89, Geo. L. Rogers '89, G. B. Sears '90, A. T. Brown '91, F. S. Dane '06, Philip Dana '06, D. C. Linscott '97, D. W. Elliott '97, John C. Minot '96, Chas. Eastman '96, Elis Spooner '98, A. B. White '98, Drew B. Hall '99, E. W. Varney '99, E. Sharp, Jr., '99, T. L. Pierce '98, R. L. Dana '01, S. J. Marsh '12, Phillips Kimball '07, K. C. Loring '15, Sam West '15, P. S. Smith '15, J. F. Rollins '15, Myles Standish '14, J. M. Hayward '14, P. W. Porritt '15, G. A. McWilliams '15, J. G. Martell '17, O. R. Folsom-Jones '15, O. P. Badger '14, P. H. Douglas '13, C. A. Hatch '13, A. E. Parkhurst '13, J. E. Philoan '13, U. A. Fogg '13, R. W. Belknap '13, A. M. Jones '93, C. C. Bucknam '13, Dr. J. S. May '13, H. S. Chapman '91, H. C. Fabyan '93.



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## Municipal Government

A few Seniors are about to complete a course in Municipal Government. The work covers the political organization of American towns and cities and particular attention is devoted to efficiency in organization and finances, together with a study of the ballot and other problems of the municipality. The course is invaluable for the embryonic citizen. But membership in it is limited to ten.

The course should be made more general; it should be open to those who have fulfilled certain requirements, possibly, in history. If we still desired to keep a "Pullman" course in Municipal Government we could have a special division for the sheep, who could forge ahead at full speed, while the less fortunate goats, though not advancing at so rapid a pace, could still glean some

information about the American city. But the material is surely too valuable to be kept from the majority of students.

## The New England Meet

A movement is on foot, we read in the newspapers, to bring the New England meet to Lewiston. Lewiston is the last place in which the meet could be held. We doubt if Lewiston has hotel accommodations sufficient for competitors and spectators. At any rate, Bates has not dressing rooms sufficient for the athletes. If the state meet in 1914 taxed Bates's accommodations to the limit, what reason have we to suppose that Bates could care for a New England meet?

If conditions in Lewiston were suitable we should like to see the meet there. Bowdoin could afford more competitors for a smaller cost. But we doubt if conditions are suitable.

## For the Children

The wooding in chapel last Thursday was a disgrace to the college and to the men who perpetrated the indignity. The cause was merely a prayer of longer than ordinary length, surely nothing to cause such an outbreak. The one bit of silver lining is that the wooding came wholly from a few members of the Freshman and Sophomore classes. There are evidently some among us who have not yet put away childish things, some who have not yet earned the dignity of long trousers and a razor. Pounding the steam pipes adds little to the dignity and impressiveness of chapel and nothing to the standing of those who do the pounding.

## NEW ALUMNI ASSOCIATIONS PLANNED

### BANGOR BOWDOIN CLUB

At an enthusiastic meeting of nearly 50 Bowdoin men held at the Penobscot Exchange, Bangor, Jan. 7, plans for a new Bowdoin organization to be known as The Bowdoin Club were talked over. Everyone favored the idea of the new club very strongly and there is no question but that it will be a successful organization. It is not intended to replace the Bowdoin Alumni Association of Bangor, which holds formal banquets once a year, but will be more informal, with meetings about once a month, consisting generally of a supper at one of the hotels.

A committee consisting of Charles A. Flagg '94, Donald F. Snow '01 and Charles T. Hawes '76, was appointed to make arrangements for another meeting, to nominate officers, etc., and report.

It was voted to entertain the Bowdoin Glee

Club, which appeared in City Hall Wednesday night, just previous to the concert. A committee composed of Charles P. Conners, Esq., '03, Roland E. Bragg '01 and Samuel B. Gray '03 was appointed to make arrangements for the reception.

#### SOMERSET ASSOCIATION

Nineteen of the alumni of Bowdoin resident in Skowhegan gave a dinner during Christmas vacation in honor of Captain Shumway of the 1916 football team, at the home of F. W. Briggs '99. Speeches were made by E. N. Merrill '74, F. W. Briggs '99, R. L. Marston '99, D. W. Philbrick '17 and S. N. Shumway '17. C. P. Merrill '96 was toastmaster. A movement was begun for the formation of an alumni association for Somerset County and a committee was appointed to perfect an organization.

#### SATURDAY CLUB LECTURE

The Saturday Club lecture in Memorial Hall Thursday evening was by Lady Gregory. Lady Gregory is best known in this country for her association with the Irish Players. Her subject was "London Reminiscences." She confined herself largely to the conversationalists of London from the time of Gladstone to the present day. Her remarks were in the form of personal anecdotes of London society and were extremely witty.

#### FRESHMEN AND SOPHOMORES WANTED

Work is now going on in preparation for the Freshman-Sophomore meet to be held in March. Trainer Magee is in the Gymnasium from 2:30 till 6:00 every afternoon and will be glad to see any member of these classes out at that time. There will be fourteen events in this meet and every man in the two classes can find some event in which he can compete, whether he has had previous experience or not. Every man should have at least one month training before the meet, so report today. You may be varsity material without knowing it.

#### ALUMNI COUNCIL MEETING

The mid-year meeting of the Alumni Council was held at Boston, Mass., on January 13.

The desirability of raising an Alumni Fund for athletics was discussed. A committee consisting of Messrs. Hawes, Snow and Hyde was appointed to consider the feasibility of raising such a fund through the medium of an Alumni Athletic Association, and if such association should not be formed, to consider making better provision for the nomination of alumni representatives on the

Athletic Council. This committee was also directed to consider the general question of nominations for all alumni officers.

The committee on the Alumni Loan Fund, consisting of Messrs. Thomas, Andrews and Ives, recommended that there be an Alumni Loan Fund and that an association be formed on the plans of the Dartmouth and Colby Associations. This committee was directed to formulate plans for such an association and to put the same in operation if it seemed advisable to the committee to do so. It was the sentiment of the Council that such an association as might be formed should be a separate organization, but responsible to the Alumni Council; that loans should be made only to men in college; and that there should be no discrimination for or against athletes.

It was the opinion of the Council that the college should give for military training credit toward the academic degree.

A committee consisting of Messrs. Roberts, Spear, Burton, Robinson and Snow was appointed to work out plans for better representation of the college in the press.

The Council voted to request of the Trustees and Overseers that the college issue from time to time an address list of alumni, arranged geographically.

GEO. P. HYDE,  
*Secretary.*

#### PRESIDENT HYDE ON RELIGION

In a recent issue of a Boston newspaper the following was printed by President Hyde, estimating the differences in religious attitude which a century has made:

##### SOME CONTRASTS

1816—1916

Then there was more outward observance;  
Now there is more inward obedience.  
Then there was more rigidity of doctrine;  
Now there is more expansiveness of life.  
Then there was more prohibition of evil;  
Now there is more promotion of good.  
Then there was more profession in proportion to service;  
Now there is more service in proportion to profession.  
Then there was more concern about the future;  
Now there is more responsibility for the present.  
Then the minister had more official authority;  
Now the minister has more personal influence.  
Then the church was more intent on saving souls;  
Now the church is more interested in improving society.  
Wisdom is justified of both her children.

## ENGLISH 5 DEBATES

The last debate in the English 5 course before vacation was held Tuesday evening, Dec. 21. The question discussed was, "Resolved, That the ship purchase plan advocated by Secretary McAdoo should be adopted." Cobb '17 and Colby '17 spoke for the affirmative and the negative was supported by Proctor '16 and Moran '17. The audience awarded the decision to the negative.

On Jan. 11, the regular weekly debate of the course was held in Memorial Hall to give the speakers a chance to practice delivery in a large hall. The Oregon system of municipal home rule was discussed. Niven '16, Proctor '16, Bowdoin '17 and Marston '17 presented arguments for its adoption, and Colby '17 and Jacob '18 supported the opposite contention. The judges decided that the debate was a tie. Cobb '17 presided.

The final debate will be held in Memorial Hall next Tuesday. Special preparations are being made for this debate which will be on the abolition of intercollegiate athletics.

## Y. M. C. A. NOTES

An installation of officers of the Boys' Club at Pejepscot was held on Thursday, Jan. 6.

A deputation of three men, McIntire '17, Pirnie '18 and Roper '18 made a week-end trip to Kennebunkport, Jan. 9.

A successful start has been made in the establishment of a Sunday School for the children of Maquoit, by the Christian Association and the Young People's Society of the Church on the Hill. Dr. Goodrich, with three college men and a number of the young ladies of the church, took an active part in the first meeting.

On Tuesday evening, Dec. 21, a Christmas tree party was given in Montcalm Hall on Maine Street. This party was attended by the instructors at the night school and their mill-hand students with their families. Music suitable for the occasion was furnished by a French orchestra and by college men. The committee in charge consisted of three French mill-hands, three college students and one faculty member.

Circular letters have been sent out to the students, giving notice of the courses in religious study that commenced Jan. 9. There are four series of courses this year and the classes will meet at the home of the leaders on Sunday afternoons at four o'clock. The series of courses, with the leader of each, are: 1. "The Gospel of Luke as a Drama," Professor Elliott; 2. "The Social Teachings of the New Testament," Professor McClean; 3. "The Evolution of Deity," Dr. Goodrich; 4. "The Teachings of Islam," Professor Langley.

## The Other Colleges

The plan of building a swimming pool in the Harvard Union is about to be carried out. Almost all the money has been subscribed and drawings are being made.

The trustees of Vassar College are considering the installation of moving picture shows at the college to be given each Saturday afternoon and evening. Last year there was considerable discussion concerning the attendance at the "movies", by students in Poughkeepsie.

As a result of a conference of authorities at Carlisle, it has been announced that the Carlisle Indians will withdraw from active football work. Secretary of Interior Lane has declared that athletics must be subordinated to the educational features of the school. The game will be continued, but it will be impossible to make a showing because such a large number of men are being educated in industrial and manufacturing establishments.

The first steps toward abolishing intercollegiate baseball in the Western Conference were taken at the last regular meeting of the conference faculty representatives. The faculty board voted, 7 to 2, to drop the game because they judged it impossible to administer the rule against professionalism. It is probable that if an objection is filed, a special meeting will be called. In this case, the fate of the game will be known by February. If no meeting is called it is quite likely that the spring schedules will be played out, for the next regular meeting does not come until after the baseball season opens.

The following statement is credited to Professor James Paige of the University of Minnesota as explaining the reasons why the western conference professors passed the resolution to abolish intercollegiate baseball. He says: "Baseball is a life of a loafer—with the exception of a few hours a day—spent in the atmosphere of the idle talk of the grocery store, the poolroom, the saloon, the moving picture show, among not altogether desirable associates. I have never met an athlete or any other man who wished his boy to play baseball for money as a member of a professional or semi-professional team. The reason why the western intercollegiate conference discontinued intercollegiate baseball as a college sport is because it has become so thoroughly a commercialized sport that it is practically impossible to continue it on an amateur basis. The experience of the east and of the west proves it. We have got to admit that professionalism has honey-combed it and that we cannot, in that sport, enforce the amateur law."



## Club and Council

Dr. G. H. Parker of Harvard delivered an illustrated lecture on "The Fur Seals of the Pribilof Islands," in the Bowdoin Union last evening, under the auspices of the Biology Club.

The Classical Club held its January meeting and annual initiations at Dean Sills's rooms last Thursday evening. The following men were initiated: McConaughy '17, McIntire '17, Albion '18, Babbitt '18, DeMott '18, French '18, Jacob '18 and O. L. Hamlin '18. Professor Ham gave a very interesting discussion on the more important phases of the war.

The Student Council, at its meeting Jan. 11, voted that the entertainment which is to be given at the time of the Indoor Interscholastic Meet should be held on Feb. 12, because of the fact that on Feb. 11 the Bowdoin Club of Portland is to hold a Bowdoin Pop Concert.

It was also voted that the Council recommend to the faculty that a ruling should be enacted providing that baseball men who substitute baseball for regular gymnasium work should not receive credit for such winter baseball work if they do not continue their baseball work in the regular spring season practice, providing that the captain and manager wish such a player to continue his work in the spring practice season.

At a meeting of the Athletic Council Jan. 10, it was announced that Bowdoin would enter a relay team in the C. A. C. meet held in Boston on Jan. 29.

It was voted to approve the entrance of the relay team in a meet to be held Feb. 22 by the Ninth Regiment, Boston, if in the opinion of the manager, the teams are agreeable.

It was also voted to instruct the captain and coach that they instruct the baseball team to cease unnecessary talk during games.

## With the Faculty

The faculty was well represented at the meetings of various societies held during the Christmas holidays. Dean Sills and Professor Nixon attended the meetings of the American Philological Association at Princeton; Professors Catlin and McClean the American Economic Association at Washington; Professor Hormell and Mr. Van Cleve the American Historical Association at Washington; Professor Catlin represented the college at the Pan American Congress at Washington; Dr. Whittier was present at the meetings of the Amateur Athletic Association, and the Intercollegiate Athletic Association, held in New York.

Professor Cram spent the holidays in Cuba; Professor Burnett in New Orleans; Professor Bell in Hamilton, Ont.; Professor Davis in Pennsylvania; Professor Copeland in Taunton, Mass.

Dean Sills delivered a lecture on "The Value of the Classics," on Jan. 14, before the Cumberland County Teachers' Association.

Professor Mitchell gave an address before the students of the Maine Central Institute on Tuesday evening, Jan. 4, at a meeting held under the auspices of the school's Y. M. C. A.

At the annual meeting of the First Parish on Jan. 11, Professor Woodruff was elected moderator; Professor Nixon, assessor; Professors Hutchins, Burnett and Davis, members of the music committee.

## On the Campus

Moon '19 has left college.

Jim McBain was laid up with the grippe last week.

The official dedication of the Union will come the latter part of this week.

There will be a second Alumni issue of the ORIENT some time in the spring.

Payson '76 and White '05 were on the campus last Wednesday for the Athletic Council meeting.

Hamburger '10, Partridge '11, Tackaberry '15 and Brown '14 were recent visitors on the campus.

Lombard '19 gave a lecture on "Bowdoin" in the Elm Street Church in South Portland during vacation.

Casper *ex-'18* was on the campus last week, and intends to return next year to continue his college course.

Phillips '17 and Stone '17 will be delegates to the Theta Delta Chi national convention in Boston next month.

The grippe has been quite prevalent during the past week and has claimed one or two victims among the relay men.

Mr. Langley and Burton '07, the prime movers of the new Union, played the first game of billiards on the new tables.

McClave '19 has returned to college recently after an enforced absence resulting from an injury received while playing football last fall.

Arthur T. Parker '76 has been on the campus a few days making preparations for the fortieth reunion of his class at the next commencement.

Wit *ex-'19* is now pursuing a course of studies at Goddard Seminary in Barre, Vt., and will join the Philadelphia Athletics in their spring training.

The Dekes and T. D.'s played the first inter-

fraternity hockey game of the season Saturday, the Dukes winning 7 to 5. Little '17 starred. McNinch '19 refereed the game.

A large body of members of the Woman's Literary Union of Portland invaded the campus last Friday afternoon and explored the art building, chapel, and other points of interest to visitors.

Professor James Lukens McConaughy, formerly of Bowdoin, now professor of education at Dartmouth, was on the campus for a few hours one day last week, and later spoke in Portland.

The graduate treasurers of the chapter house corporations and the stewards of the different fraternities had a meeting in the Dean's office on Saturday evening, Jan. 8, to discuss problems of common interest.

A fox ventured onto the campus early one morning last week according to the testimony of Arthur Langford and a reliable Freshman. He was seen near South Appleton and the tracks indicated that he came from across the campus.

The faculty is considering the matter of having attendance at the Plattsburg military camp for college men count as a point toward graduation. The exact amount of credit has not been decided upon, but a committee made up of Dean Sills, chairman, Professor Moody and Mr. Langley is considering the matter.

Farnham '18 was struck by a discus during track practice last week and received a gash in the back of the head which required six stitches to close. He was standing behind the big net which somewhat broke the force of the blow and prevented a more serious injury. As a result of this accident, a double net will be put up.

New faculty examiners have been appointed for the four preparatory schools which are special fitting schools for Bowdoin. Professor Files will be examiner for Fryeburg Academy, Professor Nixon for Thornton Academy at Saco, Professor Davis for Lincoln Academy at Newcastle and Mr. Evans for Washington Academy at East Machias.

There is a possibility that the N. E. I. A. A. meet will be held in Lewiston next spring, according to the Portland *Evening Express*, which says that Bates expects to extend an invitation to the association. The majority of the meets have been held in Boston, and they no longer attract good crowds. Attempts will be made to improve the condition of Garcelon Field.

The examination on modern history which Dean Sills gave the class in Latin I is becoming famous. There was an editorial nearly a column in length on the subject in the *New York Times* last Wednesday. While it said that the young gentleman of Brunswick are not to be blamed for

spelling Joffre incorrectly, it said that the wonderful history which is being made every day should attract the attention of the college man as well as those outside.

Whatever the feeling in regard to the present European war may be, more Bowdoin students take German than any other subject on the curriculum. The Germans even outnumber the allied forces of English, French and Italian 263 to 259, and practically the entire Freshman class is drafted into the English forces. Next to German and English, comes History as a popular course with an even 200 enrolled, and after that comes Economics with 130, Zoölogy and Mathematics with 113 each, Chemistry with 101, and Latin with 96 adherents. The subject with the fewest supporters is Astronomy which has an enrollment of 9.

## Resolutions

HALL OF ETA OF THETA DELTA CHI.

Brunswick, Maine, January 15, 1916.

In the death of Brother Merritt C. Fernald of the class of 1861, the fraternity has lost a prominent and a loyal brother. For many years, Brother Fernald was president of the state university, a reward for the valuable work which he had done in the field of education. In that university as well as in his alma mater he was highly respected and well loved, and it is with genuine regret that we, the members of Eta record his death.

HENRY GERARD WOOD,

EARL WARREN COOK,

ROBERT GREENHALGH ALBION.

*For the Charge.*

## SUMNER EDWARDS, 1910

The untimely death of Dr. Sumner Edwards has come as a great shock to all those who knew him. To the class of 1910, of which he was the president, his death means an irreparable loss. No member of the class stood in higher esteem. As an undergraduate, he had made himself greatly beloved. Never a "good fellow" in the ordinary sense, he had all the qualities which enlisted enduring affection. His modest and unassuming manner was unaltered by any amount of academic or professional success. He was one of the best athletes Bowdoin has ever had. But athletics never assumed a false value in his eyes and he graduated among the first ten men in the class. He had a thoughtful and diligent mind that had already won him distinction in his profession. Dr. Cushing at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston had singled him out for important research work. His professional future

was bright. His loss is another of those daily and hourly tragedies that are impoverishing our generation. 1910.

### CALENDAR

January

18. Lecture by J. F. Tobin on "The Necessity for Organization on the Part of Both Employer and Employee" in the Union.
20. Class of '68 Prize Speaking, Memorial Hall.
21. Fencing Match; Harvard at Cambridge.
23. Religious Study Courses, 4 o'clock.
24. Opening of the Bowdoin Union.  
Trials for Bradbury Debates, Memorial Hall.
25. English 5 Debate.
27. Exams Commence
29. Relay Race, C. A. C., Boston.

### Alumni Department

'61.—Dr. Merritt Caldwell Fernald, the first member of the faculty of the University of Maine, a former president of that institution, and emeritus professor of philosophy, died Jan. 8 from complications following an attack of grip.

Dr. Fernald was born at South Levant, May 26, 1838, and was educated in the common schools of his native town, East Corinth Academy, Bucksport Seminary, and Bowdoin College, where he was graduated in 1861 in company with former Chief Justice Emery of the Supreme Court, the late Professor A. S. Packard of Brown University, General Thomas W. Hyde of Bath, Frank L. Dingley, editor of the *Leviston Journal*, Edward Stanwood, publisher of the *Youth's Companion*, and other men who were to distinguish themselves in later life. Dr. Fernald was given the degree of Ph.D. by Bowdoin in 1881, and the honorary degree of LL.D. in 1902.

Dr. Fernald began his career as an educator by teaching nine terms in the common schools of his native town. Following this, he taught eight terms in the high school at South Levant, and in 1863 went to Bethel as principal of Gould's Academy. After a year of scientific study at Harvard University, he served a year and a half as principal of Houlton Academy, now Ricker Classical Institute. He completed his teaching in secondary schools at Foxcroft Academy of which, for two years, he was the principal.

In 1868 Dr. Fernald came to the newly-organized Maine State College, now the University of Maine, as professor of mathematics and physics and acting president. The problem that confronted him was a difficult one: the building of a college from the ground up. Though the institution was under state control, the Legislature was not disposed to be generous in the granting of the necessary funds, and the older Maine colleges looked askance at the newcomer among them. In these early years of struggle, Dr. Fernald piloted

the college along a difficult way, and much of its present success is due to the wisdom and sound common sense which he displayed in his official position during those early years. He continued as acting president until 1871 and in his professorship until 1879, in which year he was made president of the college. In 1893 ill health compelled him to retire, and in 1896 the board of trustees gave him the honorary title of professor emeritus of mathematics. In 1898 his health had so far improved as to enable him to accept the chair of professor of philosophy, a position he filled till 1908, when, at the age of seventy, he retired from active service, as professor emeritus of philosophy. In recognition of his services to the cause of education, the board of the Carnegie Foundation granted him a special pension from the General Education Fund—a high honor which it has given to but few men connected with state institutions.

Dr. Fernald was married, Aug. 24, 1865, to Miss Mary Lovejoy Heywood of Bethel. She had been a successful teacher in the common and higher schools, and was the first professor of French and German at the University of Maine, a position which she filled ably. Dr. Fernald is survived by Mrs. Fernald and five children.

Aside from his educational work, Dr. Fernald was much interested and took an active part in the campaign against tuberculosis. Throughout his life he was prominently identified with the Congregational Church. Just before his last illness he completed a history of the University of Maine, which is shortly to be published. Coming from the pen of one who was most intimately connected with the University in its earlier days and saw its rise to the foremost ranks of American institutions of learning, the new book will be valued by all friends of the University.

'86.—Irving W. Horne, for more than ten years teacher of mathematics in the Lynn English High School, died Jan. 5 at his home in Lynn, from pneumonia, after only two days' illness. He was born in Berlin, N. H., July 10, 1859, and was a graduate of Bowdoin College, with the class of 1886. He then took up his work as an educator and for six years was principal of the high school in Chelsea, and then for ten years was in Braintree, as superintendent of schools.

From there he went to Walla Walla, Wash., where he remained as teacher of mathematics for about a year, and he came east to his position in Lynn, on June 30, 1904. Mr. Horne is survived by a widow and three sons.

'96.—Rev. Howard Gilpatric, for seven years pastor of the Congregational Church at Stratton, Maine, now fills a similar position in Hardwick, Mass. During the last three years of his pastorate at Stratton, Mr. Gilpatric was also principal of the high school and superintendent of schools.

'97.—The college library has recently received a treatise on *The Thank-offering and Greek Religious Thought*, an extract from *The Transactions of the American Philological Association*,



by Joseph William Hewitt, professor of Greek in Wesleyan University.

'05.—*The Union Alumni Monthly* for the current month contains an article contributed by Stanley P. Chase, professor of English in Union College, on the life of Leonard Woods, president of Bowdoin for twenty-seven years from 1839 to 1866. Professor Chase gives a detailed account of the life of President Woods, pays him a just tribute for his services to learning and his character as a man, and lays particular stress upon the two most important achievements of his regime at Bowdoin, namely, his success in obtaining for the college its reversionary interest in the estate received from James Bowdoin by James Temple Bowdoin, and the erection of the King Chapel, a project that was accomplished almost solely through the efforts of President Woods.

'05.—The wedding of Hon. Leonard A. Pierce and Miss Anna Putnam, both of Houlton, took place in Boston Jan. 6. The groom is a member of the law firm of Madigan & Pierce, and represented Houlton in the last legislature. After an extended tour to the Pacific Coast, the couple will return to Houlton, where they will reside.

'07.—Announcement is made of the wedding of John W. Leydon of Philadelphia and Miss Theodora Koebig of Los Angeles, Cal., on Dec. 27 at Hollywood, Cal. For seven years after his graduation from Bowdoin Mr. Leydon was instructor in German at Worcester Academy, Worcester, Mass., and for the past year he has been a member of the faculty of the Penn Charter School of Philadelphia.

'10.—Word has been received of the death of Sumner Edwards, M.D., on Jan. 7 at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston, after a short illness of pneumonia. In addition to being a good student, Dr. Edwards was an athlete of considerable prominence. During his course at Bowdoin, he made a record of 24.4-5 seconds for the 220-yard low hurdles, a mark which still stands as a record of the Maine Intercollegiate Athletic Association. After his graduation from Bowdoin, he entered the Harvard Medical School, and received the degree of M.D. last June. From that time until his death he was an interne of the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital.

'12.—The engagement of Miss Edna P. Hall of Rockland, Me., and Harry M. Keating of Springfield, Mass., was announced recently. Mr. Keating is also a graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and holds a responsible position with the Strathmore Paper Company, at Springfield.

'14.—Mrs. William F. Harding of Wollaston, Mass., has announced the engagement of her daughter, Margaret Taubman, to Leonard H. Gibson, Jr., a graduate student in the department of English at Harvard University.

Ex-'16.—Cards have been received announcing the engagement of Miss Dorothy E. Persons and Raymond C. Hamlin, both of Maynard, Mass. Mr. Hamlin is representative in New Hampshire and Vermont of the Library Bureau of Boston.

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## BOWDOIN TO RUN BATES

Drawings were held last week for the first heats in the state relay championship at the B. A. A. Meet in Boston, Feb. 5. Bowdoin will run Bates, and Colby, Maine. The winners of these two races will then meet for the state championship. Several of the colleges which have competed in past years will not be present this year. Mid-year examinations will prevent Amherst and Princeton from competing, and Pennsylvania, Vermont, New Hampshire State, Wesleyan, Tufts and Rhode Island State have been dropped. There will be about 20 relay races, however, without the above teams.

## CLASS OF 1868 PRIZE SPEAKING

The Senior prize speaking contest for the class of 1868 prize was held in Memorial Hall Thursday evening. The prize was unanimously awarded to Donald Sherman White '16. The program was as follows:

"The New Age".....Don Jerome Edwards  
"College Athletics"...Guy Whitman Leadbetter  
"The Pioneer Spirit"....Herbert Henry Foster  
(Excused)

"Rupert Brooke: The Great Lover"

Donald Sherman White

"The Spirit of Jean D'Arc"

Richard Stearns Fuller

"Neath Canvas Tops"....Alfred Charles Kinsey  
President Hyde presided and the judges were Clarence Peabody '93 of Portland, Professor Halbert Hains Britan of Bates College and Mr. John Albert Cone of Topsham. Stetson's orchestra furnished the music.

White, in the winning essay, traced Rupert Brooke's life as a great lover. He pictured him as a realist delighting in the smaller, concrete things of life. He led up to his dramatic death while fighting for the allies and showed him as the most promising of England's recent poets.

## POP CONCERT FEB. 11

The Musical Clubs are to give a Pop Concert in City Hall, Portland, Friday, Feb. 11. Tables will be arranged about the hall and reserved beforehand. Two orchestras will furnish music and the concert will be followed by a dance. The Portland alumni and the Student Council are

backing this affair and hope for a large attendance from the college. A number of preparatory school men will be invited and arrangements will be made for lodgings for undergraduates who desire to remain in Portland over night.

## QUILL PRIZES AWARDED

Donald Q. Burleigh '17 and Forbes Rickard, Jr., '17 have been awarded the two prizes of ten dollars each, offered by Edgar O. Achorn '81 for the best prose and verse selection published in the Quill during 1915. By the terms of the offer, any undergraduate, not a member of the Quill Board, was eligible to compete, the decision being made by the Professor of English Literature.

The short story, "Coals of Fire," printed in the October Quill, and the verse "Regrets," published in the February number, have been adjudged the winners by Professor Elliott who makes the following comments on the selection:

"Of the eighteen eligible contributions, four were plot-stories, six were narrative sketches, one was an essay, four were song-like lyrics, one was a humorous poem, one was lyrical blank verse, and one was a narrative poem. In the presence of this embarrassing variety, the appointed judge was as perplexed as the boy in front of the cake-table at the old-fashioned Sunday School supper. After circling and re-circling the variegated offerings, he was driven to adopt a strict standard of taste: to seek the essential design of each contribution and to decide in what degree this design had been successfully embodied in structure and style. Thus he was forced to draw back, regretfully, from many glowing cherries and candied citron-peelings which clung but loosely to the icing; or, on the other hand, from ambitious-looking cakes which collapsed, in spots, when poked with the finger. The result was the choice announced above. But the following deserve honorable mention: 'College Poetry and Poets,' parts of 'The Heart of the City,' 'From a Shop Window,' 'The Movie Show' and certain features of 'Marie or the Dog.'

"It is noteworthy that only one of the eighteen contributions was an expository essay. In the opinion of the present writer, every prospective contributor should hang up over his desk the following sign, surrounded with sketches of hu-

man hands pointing at himself: 'It is easier than you realize to write poor narrative and good exposition.' Life at Bowdoin College should normally inspire more expository and critical comment, on the part of the *Quill* contributor, than it does. Aside from 'College Poetry,' was there no aspect of Bowdoin life,—academic, social, moral, athletic,—which during the year 1915 called for stirring words of praise or blame on the part of our new makers of literature? Let us have more literary comment upon ourselves: not the kind of comment which (in some colleges) lights the fires of destructive radicalism, but the degree and quality of comment which will preserve us from the sloughs of matter-of-factness, slow conventionalism, or undue self-satisfaction."

G. R. E.

#### RELAY TRIALS

Saturday afternoon another relay trial was held and a further cut made in the squad, leaving twelve men who will continue to train for the varsity team. The men finished in the following order: Crosby '17, Turner '19, Simonton '18, Pierce '17, Webber '16, Ireland '16, Bond '17, Hamlin '18, Van Wart '18, O'Donnell (special). In general, Coach Magee declares he is very well pleased with the showing of the squad and believes from present appearances that Bowdoin will defeat Bates in the B. A. A. races at Boston, Feb. 5, and also the University of Maine team with which the final heat would probably be run.

Trials will be held next Tuesday to determine the four best relay men to represent the college.

#### SECOND SEMESTER COURSES

##### LATIN 8

The course on "Latin Influence in English Literature," known as Latin 8, has been cancelled for 1916. Seniors and Juniors who wish another course in Latin and who have had Latin 1 and 2, may consult Dean Sills about taking Latin 4, which covers Virgil.

##### GOVERNMENT I

Government I, "American Government and Politics," which will be given next semester, was formerly Political Science II. This announcement is made to avoid confusion which might otherwise result from the renumbering of this course in the present catalogue.

#### BUGLE NOTICE

Juniors who have had sittings for their class pictures are urged by Manager Crosby to give their orders to Webber at once, as their failure to do so seriously retards the progress of the *Bugle*.

#### UNION OPENING POSTPONED

In accordance with a vote of the recently elected Board of Governors, the official opening of the new Bowdoin Union will not take place until the beginning of the second semester, when a good time is promised to all. Notices of the house-warming will be posted later. Meanwhile the Union will remain closed to students except for such special occasions as may be announced.

Students desiring employment at the Union should apply to the chairman, Garland '16, and hand in a schedule of hours when they will be free to work.

#### FIRST LECTURES IN UNION

The new Union was first put to use last week with two lectures. On Monday evening Professor George H. Parker of Harvard spoke on the "Fur-Bearing Seals of the Pribilof Islands," under the auspices of the Biology Club. The following evening, Colliss Lovely, vice-president of the National Boot and Shoe Workers' Union, spoke on "The Necessity of Organization." This talk was under the auspices of the Christian Association. It was followed by an hour of discussion in which the students of economics participated.

Professor Parker is a member of the United States Government Commission on fur seals, and is an authority on his topic. The Pribilof Islands lie in the Bering Sea north of the Aleutian chain and are owned by the United States, having been purchased from Alaska in 1867. There are two chief islands, both devoid of trees and covered with rank grass as the sole form of vegetation. Professor Parker described the character of the islands and showed that the inhabitants are but 500 in number, composed of Russians and Aleutians, supported by the Government to carry on and preserve the fur industry. The seals of the Pribilof Islands bear the best fur of all species of seal, and there has been much controversy over the right to kill them. A treaty has been effected between England, Japan and the United States so that hunting has been restricted. United States revenue cutters patrol the waters in the vicinity of the islands, enforcing the treaty and keeping the natives supplied with provisions. Professor Parker described in detail the breeding, cultivation and classification of the seals and spoke of the market for the fur. He further pointed out that under Government supervision there has been a great increase in the number of seals and the value of the fur industry.

Mr. Lovely in his discussion covered the several stages of development of the labor union



among the shoe workers of the country and emphasized the cooperation now existing between employers and employees in the shoe industry. He dwelt upon the present organization of his union, and the lack of antipathy between workers and employers. The old spirit of a desire to strike on the least provocation has given way to a willingness to submit to a board of arbitration, in which both sides are adequately represented. The satisfactory working out of the present ideas in the union are evinced by the fact that in Brockton, Mass., all the shoe factories are union shops and strikes are unmentioned.

These are the first of several lectures which will be given during the winter in the Union under the auspices of various undergraduate organizations.

#### PORTLAND ALUMNI BANQUET

The annual banquet of the Bowdoin Alumni Association of Portland was held Saturday evening, Jan. 22, at the Hotel Falmouth, with more than one hundred loyal alumni present. The enthusiasm shown at the banquet by members of classes from '55 to '15, plainly demonstrated that Bowdoin loyalty does not end at graduation, but rather increases with the years.

Scotch songs and readings added to the evening's entertainment. Brooks' Orchestra furnished music. David W. Snow '73, retiring president of the association, presided at the after-dinner exercises. The speakers were Professor W. B. Mitchell '90, representing the college; Professor J. D. M. Ford, of Harvard, and Colonel E. C. Plummer '87, of Bath, who spoke for the alumni. Professor Mitchell spoke of the joys and the sorrows of the past year. He also announced that Bowdoin has taken up the preparedness question and will allow credit toward a degree for work in military education done in college.

Professor J. D. M. Ford of Harvard spoke of the relations between the United States and Latin America. He spoke from an intimate knowledge as he has been travelling recently in South America. Regarding the Mexican situation, he said that our government seems to be all at sea and he questioned the advisability of recognizing Carranza, whom he considered as much a brigand as Villa. His whole address favored much closer relations between North and South America.

Colonel E. C. Plummer '87, of Bath, candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in the Second District, spoke for the alumni, telling many amusing anecdotes of college days.

The oldest alumnus present was of the class of

1855, William L. Putnam, judge of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

Shortly before the banquet, the annual meeting of the Alumni Association of Portland was held and the following officers were elected: President, Charles H. Gilman '82; Vice-President, Eben W. Freeman '85; Secretary-Treasurer, Lyman A. Cousins '02; Dinner Committee, Robert M. Pennell '09, Arthur L. Robinson '08 and Clifford L. Russell '14.

Among the alumni present were: David W. Snow '73, Wilmot B. Mitchell '90, William L. Putnam '55, A. F. Moulton '73, A. G. Pettingill '81, Arthur G. Staples '82, Clarence Hale '69, Edward C. Plummer '87, Philip G. Clifford '03, Charles H. Gilman '82, F. H. Gerrish '66, Henry Johnson '74, C. A. Barker, M.D., '78, S. T. B. Jackson '83, F. O. Conant '80, Virgil C. Wilson '80, George S. Payson '80, Walter P. Perkins '80, Eben Winthrop Freeman '85, F. N. Whittier '85, C. S. Hutchinson '90, Clarence W. Peabody '93, Palmer Straw '11, James B. Lappin '15, Albert E. Neal '89, John A. Waterman '84, Thomas H. Eaton '69, R. R. Eastman '10, W. H. Sanborn '10, Leon H. Smith '10, H. C. Wilbur '94, Arthur Chapman '94, W. W. Thomas '94, Elias Thomas '96, Henry E. Andrews '94, E. L. Bodge '97, A. Mitchell '95, P. F. Chapman '00, C. S. Wright '91, Leland G. Means '12, Robert M. Pennell '09, John F. Dana '98, Howard R. Ives '98, Emery G. Wilson '98, George F. Stetson '98, Charles S. Pettengill '98, Guy H. Sturgis '98, George F. Cary '88, Dr. W. Bean Moulton '96, Storrs Brigham '08, Frederick Pennell '08, Alfred P. Cook '97, Neal W. Allen '07, Robert E. Randall '99, Sidney W. Noyes '02, H. B. Eastman '02, William E. Wing '02, Edward S. Anthoine '02, George E. Fogg '02, Lyman A. Cousins '02, Carl W. Smith '03, Luther Dana '03, Sydney B. Larrabee '03, Henry Lewis '05, Franklin Lawrence '03, Leon V. Walker '03, Clement F. Robinson '03, Henry A. Peabody '03, George C. Wheeler '01, J. H. White '01, Lewiston, G. M. Parker, Jr., '01, Louis L. Hills '09, H. J. Everett '04, E. E. Holt, Jr., '07, Arthur L. Robinson '08, W. B. Drummond '07, C. Edward Files '08, M. C. Webber, M.D., '07, C. M. Robinson, M.D., '08, I. L. Irish '09, D. F. Koughan '09, L. F. Timberlake '09, James A. Norton '13, Reginald O. Conant '13, J. C. Cram '11, O. F. Sanborn '11, H. V. Bickmore '11, John J. Devine '11, Paul C. Lunt '13, Arthur D. Welch '12, Earl B. Tuttle '13, Philip L. Card '15, Harold E. Verrill '15, Stephen W. Hughes '12, Carl B. Timberlake '12, Clifford T. Perkins '15, C. Talbot Rogers '15, Hebron M. Adams '14, Kendrick Burns '14, Alan R. Cole '14, H. C. Chapman '12, Elmer Perry '06.

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## COMMUNICATION

### *The Editor-in-Chief.*

DEAR SIR:—Men from your college are cordially invited to attend the Seventh Annual Winter Carnival of the Dartmouth Outing Club at Hanover, New Hampshire, February 10-12 inclusive, and to compete in the second intercollegiate ski and snowshoe meet.

The purpose of this gathering is rather to give impetus to the movement for outdoor sport in American and Canadian colleges by means of friendly co-operation than merely to conduct an intercollegiate competition. Last year seven colleges and universities participated in the Winter Carnival events, this year we expect to have a much larger attendance.

The enclosed folder treats the matter in considerable detail. The club will take pleasure in

furnishing additional information to those interested.

Very truly yours,  
L. H. BELL,  
*Secretary, Dartmouth Outing Club.*

## SOUTHERN ALUMNI PLAN ASSOCIATION

Lester Gumbel '06, recently appointed a member of the governing board of Louisiana State University, has started a movement to form a Bowdoin Southern Alumni Association, which will include Oklahoma, Tennessee, Arkansas and the Carolinas.

## INDOOR MEET FEB. 12

The annual winter indoor interscholastic meet will be held this year on Feb. 12 and the following schools have signified their intention of entering the meet: Portland High, Hebron Academy, Huntington School, Boston, Norwood High, Norwood, Mass., Gorham Academy, Cony High, Lewiston High, Leavitt Institute, Edward Little High, Good Will High, Bangor High, Maine Central Institute, Biddeford High, Brunswick High, Coburn Classical Institute, Morse High, Lincoln Academy, Deering High, Westbrook Seminary, Bridgton Academy, Anson Academy, Camden High, Topsham High, Boothbay Harbor High, Freeport High.

## FENCING TEAM DEFEATED

In the first fencing match of the season Bowdoin's team was defeated by the Harvard squad at the Hemenway Gymnasium, Cambridge, last Friday evening, 8 to 1. Captain Hargraves was the only Bowdoin man to win a bout, though Gray tied his first one, losing the playoff. The summary:

Nichols, Harvard, defeated Hargraves, Bowdoin, 9-6.  
Hamilton, Harvard, defeated Gray, Bowdoin, 9-9, 4-3.  
Code, Harvard, defeated Hanson, Bowdoin, 8-5.  
Hamilton, Harvard, defeated Hargraves, Bowdoin, 16-9.  
Code, Harvard, defeated Gray, Bowdoin, 11-5.  
Nichols, Harvard, defeated Hanson, Bowdoin, 6-0.  
Russell, Harvard, defeated Gray, Bowdoin, 12-7.  
Hoskier, Harvard, defeated Hanson, Bowdoin, 9-8.  
Hargraves, Bowdoin, defeated Code, Harvard, 11-9.

## THE DECEMBER QUILL

It must be hard to compose Christmas Sentiments—almost as hard as practicing Christian sentiments—Christmas Sentiments, that is, which are meant to be more original than candy-mot-toes. We have had quite a number of Christmas-masses, and at each Christmas season Christmas Sentiment writers have been as plenteous as leaves in Arden. The December *Quill's* specimen has the virtue of restraint, of not being overly sentimental. Everyone but a Scrooge, unregenerate, would agree to that. The opening sentence could be amputated without suffering and read simply: "It is the Christmas season once more"—a remark harmless, if jejune, and one even less deserving of an undesirable separate paragraph.

A bit too much sentimentality mars *The Miracle*, a story whose theme is old yet lives. The writer seems to be genuinely interested in his characters and genuinely moved by their suffering; but he is openly over-anxious to arouse our sympathy, labors excessively to make us see the pathos of the situation. He is comfortably aware, no doubt, that Dickens, too, whose tone and style seem to be his model, may be charged with this. It is Dickens's humor, however, rather than his pathos, that always satisfies and may be more safely imitated. An artificial simplicity of diction marks Dickens's pathos: in most of his imitators, as in the case of the writer of *The Miracle*, the artificiality is often too apparent and repetitive. "It was very, very cold out of doors." This is quite convincing. But when it is followed up by "all this was very, very far away" and "God is good to us, Henry, very, very good," "very, very" loses its savor. So with the adjective "little," applied in this story to a dozen things, from smiles to red covered wagons. Finally, the reviewer does not like unnecessarily apologetic quotation marks—"the great city," "snowed under"—or capitalized Mail Men and Delivery Men: and why or how *walls* should or could be covered with "cheap draperies and plaster casts" bothers him.

*The Open Road* makes pleasant reading. It has a number of quietly humorous touches, and its thesis is good. An even greater contrast between the outward and homeward bound impressions of the scholar gypsy might be an improvement, and a more direct and personal presentation of the sequence of emotions might be preferable to the reiterated statements that we "would" feel thus and so.

*The Movie Show*, in the Riley manner, is good, of its kind. The reviewer questions the wisdom of the mother if she takes Johnnie very often, but that may be somewhat beside the point. More

pertinent is the query whether there is not more rhyme than reason in her calling him in, and then—when he is inside the house—whispering in his ear "just so the other boys won't hear." Another result of our hyphenated reign of terror, perhaps. Would any boy, by the way, say that he'd like to be an (inverted) "pirate bold"?

O. Henry, it would seem, is directly or indirectly responsible for *The Heart of the City*, the most ambitious contribution to the December *Quill*, and any imitation of O. Henry's somewhat jaunty air of urban omniscience is apt to lead a comparatively inexperienced imitator into pitfalls, topographical, social, and stylistic. Police headquarters "in the shadow of Brooklyn Bridge" and "surrounded on all sides by a square mile of gloomy tenements"! Tenements in the East River and about City Hall! It was late on Christmas Eve \* \* \* "five million or so inhabitants were asleep \* \* \* and all the while \* \* \* ambulances were rolling up to their entrances at the hospitals, fire engines were shrieking through the streets, weddings and funerals were being held"—what won't those New Yorkers do next? "If you sat down and attempted to describe a circle about the geographical heart of Greater New York, you would encompass a *cleanly-cut half* of Mike Daly's select bar-room"—this looks like squaring the circle, unless Mr. Daly's bar-room was most strangely shaped. But together with much that is stagey, turgid, and spurious in phrase and feeling, there is much in this story that is excellent—the delineation of Dale, the itinerant of Santa Claus, certain elements in the picture of the generally too "mask-like" Captain Harding, for instance.

*L'Envoi*, after three readings, leaves the reviewer in doubt as to who is speaking in the first two stanzas, and where. Soldiers, Germans, in the trenches? But within sound of church bells? How is the undisputed fact, stated in the third stanza, that "naught escapes Time's grinning maw" connected with the rest of the poem? And in the fourth stanza—"cover the embers"? What embers? The embers of the reviewer's wits are covered, at any rate. But he can understand and appreciate the last three lines:

The God of right is working still.

An infant smile, (*sic*) has more good yet

Than earth's worst flood of hate can kill.

P. N.

## TRACK NOTES

At a meeting of the coach, captain, manager and assistant manager of track at the Beta house Sunday plans were discussed for the coming Freshman-Sophomore Meet, and tentative sug-



gestions were made for getting spring track under way. Although the date is not yet ratified by the Student Council, it is planned to hold the Freshman-Sophomore Meet Mar. 10, a week before the interclass meet. Furthermore, all candidates will be obliged to train for the meet for a certain period beforehand, to be determined later. Two new events will be added to the meet: the discus throw and the 36 pound weight. These will take place in the afternoon. After examinations, a meeting of the Track Club will be called to which all candidates for the Freshman-Sophomore Meet will be invited for a general discussion of the meet.

#### MAINE KAPPA SIGS ORGANIZE

The Kappa Sigma men of Portland and vicinity held a banquet at the Chase Hotel, Portland, Wednesday evening, Dec. 29, and organized under the name, "Kappa Sigma Alumni Association of Maine." Among the officers elected are the following from Alpha Rho chapter of Bowdoin: E. G. Barbour '12, president; F. D. Wish, Jr., '13, secretary-treasurer; and B. E. Moulton '13 and E. L. Russell '12, members of the executive committee.

#### PORTLAND BETAS MEET

Portland alumni chapter of Beta Theta Pi fraternity held its first meeting at the Falmouth Hotel, Jan. 3, with 25 present, representing various colleges.

The meeting took place in the State of Maine room and at the business meeting it was decided to hold two sessions during the year. No officers were elected, William S. Linnell having been elected president and E. P. Ingalls secretary-treasurer some time ago.

The following Bowdoin Betas were present: W. S. Linnell '07, D. F. Houghton '09, G. C. Kern '12, J. H. Kern '19, J. B. Moulton '16, E. Humphrey '17, C. E. Allen '17, A. W. Bird '16, C. A. Brown '15. The members of the committee of arrangements are: Charles S. Webster, Maine '08; E. P. Ingalls, Maine '15, and J. D. Graves, Maine '15.

#### NEW DEFINITION OF AMATEUR

The conference committee of the various bodies controlling amateur sports has agreed upon a new set of regulations governing amateurs that are comprehensive enough and sufficiently strict to provide against any future misinterpretation of their letter or spirit. An amateur sportsman is one to whom sport is only an avocation, in which he engages for pleasure and

physical, moral, and mental benefits, and he must not compete under an assumed name, or derive any direct or indirect pecuniary benefits from sport, or sell his prizes, or give instruction for pay, "except where such an act is merely an incident to his main vocation, such exceptions to be determined by the governing bodies of the various sports." This last qualification seems to leave a loop-hole in the regulations, but it is understood that it is intended to apply only to coaching collegiate athletes in summer camps. Hereafter no amateur, without incurring loss of standing, may sanction the use of his name to advertise sporting goods or act as salesman, and especially he must not engage for pay in any occupation or business transaction "wherein his usefulness or value arises chiefly" from the fame he has gained in amateur sport.

This seems to apply to the matter which recently caused disturbance in golf, the laying out of greens for pay. The penalties described are sufficiently severe to compel any amateur who prizes his standing among his fellows to adhere strictly to the rules. In a general way everybody has always understood that an amateur in any sport never derived pecuniary advantages from his skill. But with the extraordinary development of amateur sport in recent years there has been a great deal of confusion as to what an amateur might or might not do without incurring penalties. Even now it is not unlikely that fresh disputes may arise, though the meaning of the regulations is so plainly expressed. Perhaps it may yet be necessary to define the exact status of a professional in the world of sports. The professional, too, has his ethical code and his sense of honor. A disqualified amateur, ineligible as a professional, would be a veritable Peer Gynt of sports with the button molder on his track.—*New York Times.*

#### IN MEMORIAM

The Bowdoin College Alumni Association of New York, in observance of an honored custom of commemorating its bereavement by death, of leading members, directs the entry upon its records of this brief memorial to General Thomas Hamlin Hubbard.

General Hubbard was born in Hallowell, Maine, in 1838, the second son of Hon. John Hubbard, Governor of Maine, 1848-1852. He died the 19th day of May, 1915, at his home in the City of New York.

He entered Bowdoin College in 1853, and was graduated, with his brother John, in the class of 1857, among the first in rank as scholars, and

universally popular as comrades. Between these brothers there existed an undying affection. The latter, a gallant soldier, was killed in the battle before Port Hudson, La., in 1863.

General Hubbard's life was replete with unusual and varied accomplishment in the business world and in his chosen profession, with untold deeds of kindness and generosity, and with constantly accumulating honors. He served with marked ability and distinction in the Civil War. He early became one of the leaders of the New York Bar. Thereafter, in the practice of law and in the positions of trust to which he was invited and which he held with such honor and success during his long life, he justified the universal confidence of the business community in which he lived.

Virile manliness, sane judgment, unbending integrity, spontaneous but discriminating generosity toward all deserving objects were marked traits of his character; and in all his relations in life his kindness of disposition and unflinching courtesy dominated his conduct. His gifts to the college, so spontaneous, so appropriate, so ample and significant, testify to his loyalty to the seminary of his youth, which he held in the closest affection of his heart, and will recall his memory to her sons to the latest period of time.

To a devoted son and brother, an affectionate husband and father, a chivalrous and potent aid in any controversy involving a right which enlisted his interest, and withal a Christian gentleman, we record this brief tribute of our affection.

New York, 22nd May, 1915.

EDWARD B. MERRILL '57,  
LUCIEN HOWE '70,  
WILLIAM J. CURTIS '75,  
JOSEPH B. ROBERTS '95,  
GEORGE R. WALKER '02,  
HERBERT H. OAKES '04,  
WALLACE M. POWERS '04,

Committee.

#### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Letters are being sent to the secretaries of city Y. M. C. A.'s in the states of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts and New York, in an attempt to arrange for the privilege of use of the buildings by Bowdoin students who are temporarily in those cities.

There will be at least three speakers at the Bowdoin Union, during the next semester, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. With dates not definitely settled, they are as follows: some time in February, John Clair Minot, editor of the *Youth's Companion*, who will speak on journal-

ism; in March, William T. Sedgwick, professor of biology at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who will speak on public health; in April, Alfred L. Aiken, governor of the federal reserve bank in Boston.

An effort is being made to have Paul Revere Frothingham speak before the association. He describes the work that is going on in small hospitals for the American Fund for French wounded, a work that is understood to be of great practical assistance in providing for the injured soldiers.

Some Bowdoin men were present, by invitation, at the installation of officers of the Weavers' Union, which is a branch of the Textile Union. The president of the Weavers' Union is now a student in the Y. M. C. A. night school conducted by college men.

Bowdoin will send a small delegation of men to the Fairfield Student Conference. This corresponds to the Student Conferences that have in the past been entertained annually by the Maine colleges. The new plan is that the gathering shall be comprised mostly of preparatory school men with a few college men to act somewhat as leaders.

The night school for mill workers will be closed until Tuesday, Feb. 8. Attendance at the school has been regular, and the progress is highly gratifying both to the mill men and to the college men who conduct the classes. After mid-year examinations are over, the classes will continue as usual.

### The Other Colleges

The first issue of the *Bates Student* under a new editorial staff made its initial appearance Jan. 20 in the popular newspaper form. The new policy calls for a weekly issue of the news department with a monthly literary supplement. Bowdoin and Colby are the only Maine colleges which retain the time-honored magazine form of college weekly.

We read in the *Colby Echo* that "a movement is on foot among the chess players of Colby to organize a Maine intercollegiate chess club, which shall arrange championship matches between the four colleges, and, thereby, create more interest and enthusiasm in this sport than is being manifested at the present time."

The annual Winter Carnival of the Dartmouth Outing Club which will be held at Hanover, Feb. 10, 11 and 12, is planned to eclipse any affair of the sort yet undertaken on this side of the Atlantic. The feature of the festivities will be an in-

tercollegiate ski and snowshoe meet, comprising a varied program of dashes and cross-country runs for both skiman and snowshoer, and a ski-jumping contest. In addition to the out-door events, a program of various social and athletic functions has been arranged which includes performances by the Dartmouth Dramatic Association, and the Musical Clubs, the Carnival Ball, a supper dance, an international hockey game, and a basketball game with Yale. Representatives of certain moving picture concerns will be on hand to record parts of the carnival.

The Brown University football team, by going to Pasadena, Cal., to play the Washington State College on New Year's Day, made the longest trip ever undertaken by a college football eleven for a single game. The field was wet and slippery, and no true test of football skill was shown, the Washington eleven being victors by a score of 14-0. Though the trip involved much trouble and great expense, it was a good thing for the game and did much to create a better feeling between football men of the East and West.

Harvard and Yale competed in five major sports during the past twelve months, and the Crimson won four of them. Harvard took baseball, football, track and field athletics, and hockey while Yale won only the rowing.

The city council of Lawrence, Kansas, home of University of Kansas, has presented the Student Council with a bill for \$91 to cover damages incurred against the property of citizens in the football rallies last season.

Columbia University's plans for a national industrial engineering research center are fast taking shape. Two sites have already been offered for the proposed laboratories. It is proposed to erect immediately research laboratories to cost \$350,000 together with equipment to cost \$150,000.

### On the Campus

D. W. White '19 has left college.

The next issue of the ORIENT will appear Tuesday, Feb. 8.

Dunbar '19 has been called home by the serious illness of relatives.

Tebbetts '19 has gone to his home in Auburn under an attack of grippie.

There will be an opportunity for make-ups in Economics I this afternoon.

Stride '17, who has been home on account of illness, returned to college last week.

The relay team will not run at the Coast Artillery games, Saturday, on account of examinations.

Owing to some misunderstanding it was incorrectly reported last week that Moon '19 had left college.

A number of fellows responded to the call of "The Only Girl" at the Jefferson in Portland Saturday night.

Jack Magee and H. N. Dorman, Medic '18, are instructing the public school classes in physical training at the Armory.

Students must sign in for the second semester courses before Thursday. It will not be necessary to procure the signatures of the instructors.

The exam in surveying will be held Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 2, instead of in the morning as was originally published, and Music 5 will come in the morning instead of the afternoon.

The Freshman candidates for assistant football manager are Grover, Finn, Mitchell, Simmons and Sturgis. The candidates for the assistant track managership are Mahoney, Martin, R. A. Stevens and Tebbets.

Bowdoin was well represented at the concert of the Boston Symphony Orchestra in Portland last Monday evening. Dr. and Mrs. Burnett, Professor Hutchins, Professor Ham, Professor Catlin and Professor Langley were among those present.

There will be no regular gym exercises during the examination period, but there will be an opportunity for making up gym cuts every afternoon at 4.30. Students wishing to have their cuts carried over to the next semester should apply to Dr. Whittier at once.

### Resolutions

MERRITT CALDWELL FERNALD

Died January 8, 1916

No member of the class attained or deserved higher honor than our dear classmate Fernald. His fine mind, his ripe scholarship and his sterling character won for him universal esteem.

We were proud of him and we loved him. Alas! that our diminishing number will lack his presence at our final reunion to which he was looking forward with eager pleasure.

EDWARD STANWOOD,

*Class Secretary.*

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Brunswick, January 16, 1916.

The untimely death of Brother Sumner Edwards of the class of 1910 came as a shock to the charge, for he was known personally to many of us and we all knew of the splendid record which he made while in college. He set up an athletic record which has not been broken within the



state, and for his prominence and popularity, class and fraternity made him their leader. He had entered upon the medical profession with the same spirit which he showed in college, and his prospects were most brilliant in that line when he was called into the Omega. We sympathize with those to whom the loss comes even closer.

HENRY GERARD WOOD,  
EARL WARREN COOK,  
ROBERT GREENHALGH ALBION,  
*For the Charge.*

### CALENDAR

#### January

- 25. English 5 Debate.
- 27. Exams Commence.
- 29. Relay Trials, 8 P. M.

#### February

- 4. New York Alumni Dinner.
- 5. State Relay Championship, Bates, at B. A. A. Meet, Boston.
- 7. Second Semester Begins.
- 8. Musical Clubs Rehearsal, 5 P. M., Memorial Hall.  
Concert in Topsham.
- 11. Pop Concert in Portland.  
Fencing Match, Yale at New Haven.
- 12. Interscholastic Indoor Meet.  
Fencing, Springfield Training School at Springfield.

### Alumni Department

'55.—Captain Sumner I. Kimball, general superintendent of the Coast Guard Service, who retired by resignation recently, goes out of office with a distinguished record rarely if ever equalled. Captain Kimball is 81 years of age; more than 40 years ago he originated the idea of a United States Life Saving Service and for 30 years was at the head of that organization. He remained in active service during the merging of the revenue cutter and the life saving service into the Coast Guard Service, an amalgamation he earnestly desired. Now feeling that his life work is accomplished, he has asked for retirement, and the President has accepted his resignation in a personal letter expressing warm praise and admiration for Captain Kimball's remarkable public service. In 1871 Captain Kimball obtained an appropriation from Congress and the work was begun with himself at the head. The nucleus of the Life Saving Service was a little log cabin on the coast of New Jersey, used as a shelter by the volunteer crew of a nearby village. From that small beginning the service has developed to tremendous proportions. The last detailed report before it was merged into the Coast Guard Service showed there were 2,350 men in the service with 224 stations on the shores of the Great Lakes and the sea coast. These stations are splendidly equipped with every known modern appliance for life saving. In the year 1909—which is the latest for which figures are available—the United States Life Saving Service men rendered

effective aid on 1309 occasions of disaster on sea or on coast. The vessels involved and their cargoes were valued at \$13,316,815, and on board were 8,900 persons, of whom but 30 were lost. These figures for a single year give some idea of the tremendous work accomplished by the service since 1871. But no adequate idea can be given of the bravery of the men, the hardships endured and the humanitarian scope of their rescue work.

Captain Kimball is personally known and admired by nearly every man in the service. He will retain the presidency of the Board of Life Saving appliances and will spend much of the year in Washington, going back to his old home in Maine for the summers. The President's letter reads in part:

"I desire to extend to you my felicitations upon the closing of your active career in the public service, with which you have been identified for more than a half century, and to avail myself of this opportunity to express the interest I feel in writing into effect the mandate of Congress which carries for you so signal an honor in recognition of your distinguished service at the head of the Life Saving Service of the United States.

"You have been charged with the conduct of the affairs of this humanitarian branch of the Government from its infancy. Its growth and development from a few struggling improvised stations into an organization commanding the respect and admiration not only of our own people, but of the entire civilized world, reflect the wisdom of your administration, and it must be gratifying to you to feel assured that the improvement in the condition of the personnel, by the inclusion of the service in the recently created Coast Guard, will result in securing the high standard of efficiency which it has always been your earnest endeavor to maintain.

"Cordially and sincerely yours,

(Signed)

"WOODROW WILSON.

"Mr. Sumner I. Kimball, General Superintendent, United States Coast Guard."

'62.—Manasseh Smith, a non-graduate member of the class of 1862, died at his home in Woodfords, Nov. 10, 1915. He was born at Warren, in 1841, the son of the late Hon. Manasseh H. Smith, of Portland. For a while he was in his father's law office as a partner and, after his father's death, Hon. Thomas B. Reed was taken into the firm, under the style of Smith and Reed. Ill health threatened his life and he took up roughing it in the wilderness and was a master in woodcraft and the habits of fish and game. In 1887 he engaged in a highly successful business near Three Rivers, Province of Quebec. Again, in 1881, his physicians despaired of his life but he recovered. He formed a partnership with Judge George E. Bird and for a while practiced law in Portland, but ill health and increasing deafness hindered his efficiency and he retired to his home and farm at Woodfords. He was appointed Commissioner of the Game Laws of

Maine and without compensation gave valued service to the state. He married at Montmorenci Falls, Quebec, Miss Georgianna W. Hall. They have six daughters and two sons, the youngest, Ralph Emerson, residing in Portland.

Medic. '83.—Dr. Charles M. Sleeper has been recommended to President Wilson by Senator Johnson '79 for appointment to the collectorship of customs of the Portland district, including the entire state of Maine and a part of New Hampshire, and commanding a salary of \$6000 a year. The appointment requires only the ratification of the President to become effective, and there is no doubt that President Wilson will ratify it.

Dr. Sleeper is at present the chairman and York County member of the Governor's Council, and has been for a number of years prominent in Democratic politics.

'86.—Elmer E. Rideout, a Boston attorney and at one time a member of the school board of Everett, Mass., died Jan. 17, at his home in Everett, after a long illness. He was born in Cumberland, Me., in 1862, and was graduated from Bowdoin College in the class of 1886 and from Harvard Law School in the class of 1890. He is survived by his wife, a brother, and his mother.

'03.—Henry A. Peabody of Portland will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for Register of Probate of Cumberland County in the primaries next June. Mr. Peabody was the nominee of the party in the last election of a register in 1912, but was defeated, along with the rest of the county ticket.

Mr. Peabody is a prominent lawyer, a member of the firm of Peabody & Peabody, the other member being his brother, Clarence W. Peabody '93, who was a judge at the class of 1868 Prize Speaking on Thursday night.

Henry A. Peabody was graduated from Bowdoin in 1903 and from Harvard in 1906. He received much valuable training from his father, the late Henry C. Peabody, associate justice of the Supreme Judicial Court, with whom he studied law.

'06.—Lester Gumbel, whose appointment to the Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University was announced in a recent issue of the ORIENT, is leading the movement to form a Bowdoin Southern Alumni Association.

'13.—Manning H. Busfield is working as an advertising salesman with the Utica *Daily Press*.

'13.—Lester B. Shackford is in charge of the New York office of the Poland Spring Water Co.

'13.—Frank I. Cowan, after teaching school for two years, has recently taken up the study of the law at Winterport, Me.

'14.—Cards have been received announcing the engagement of Miss Eleanor Bradlee of Malden, Mass., and Percy D. Mitchell of Biddeford. Miss Bradlee is a graduate of Colby and is now teaching in South Berwick, Me. Mr. Mitchell is in the employ of the J. A. Rice Auditing Co. of Portland.



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## RELAY CHAMPIONSHIP BY DEFAULT

The state relay championship remains undetermined after the B.A.A. Meet in Boston Saturday night, although technically the decision goes to Bowdoin by default. Bates and Bowdoin ran the first race. Bates drew the pole and ran Lawrence against Pirnie '18, who finished a yard behind his adversary. Simonton '18 took the baton and in a fine sprint in his last lap passed Snow of Bates, Snow stumbling and increasing Simonton's lead. Turner '19 increased the lead to a half lap over Connors of Bates and Crosby '17 won the race with a margin of 20 yards. The time was 3 minutes, 16 seconds.

Maine won from Colby by a 20-yard margin in 3 minutes, 13-2-5 seconds. The contestants were: for Maine, French, McBride, Lawry, Ziegler; for Colby, L. Merrill, R. Merrill, Thompson, Heyes.

When the Bowdoin-Maine race was called, it was announced that Ziegler of Maine had pulled a tendon and was unable to compete. The championship was given to Bowdoin by default but the race may be run off later.

## CAMPBELL NOT TO RETURN

The matter of a football coach for next fall is still unsettled. It had been hoped that Campbell would be re-engaged but it was announced last week that he had signed a contract as all-the-year athletic director at the University of North Carolina at a salary far in advance of anything Bowdoin can offer. The efforts of the committee will now be directed toward obtaining for next fall some other man trained under the Harvard system.

## RELAY TRACK RECORD BROKEN

The relay record for the Hyde Athletic Building was lowered considerably last week. In the trials held Tuesday, Feb. 1, Pirnie '18 and Simonton '18 both broke the record made by Crosby '17 last year by a fifth of a second, thus winning the Augusta cup for this year. Wednesday, Crosby, who had not run the day before, succeeded in cutting two-fifths of a second more from the record set up by Pirnie and Simonton. In the preliminary trials the order of finishing was as follows: Simonton '18, Pirnie '18 (tied), Crosby '17, Tur-

ner '19, Webber '16 and Pierce '17 (tied). The first four made up the team for the B. A. A. race. After the time trials Tuesday, Crosby '17 was appointed captain of relay for this year.

## NEW ENGLAND MEET TO BE IN CAMBRIDGE

The New England intercollegiate track and field championship meet will be held May 19 and 20 on the Tech field, Cambridge, according to a vote of the association, Saturday. This decision is made in spite of attempts to change the place of the meet to Springfield, Mass., or to the Bates field in Lewiston.

## PORTLAND CONCERT FRIDAY

The concert by the Musical Clubs in Portland next Friday is primarily to get prep school men interested in Bowdoin. The alumni of Portland have incurred great expense to make the concert a success, and the Student Council has heartily supported them. Every man that can, should go to Portland Friday and help the college in getting these prep school men. Tables for six or seats in the gallery can be reserved from the manager.

## UNION OPENING

The formal opening of the Bowdoin Union occurred last evening. Music was furnished by the college band, Kelley's orchestra and a victrola. Smokes and a barrel of apples helped to make the time pass pleasantly and a few stunts by some of the fellows were favorably received. The following students have been selected by the Board of Governors to act as attendants at the Union: Lovejoy '17, Farnham '18, Albert '19, Cole '19, Corcoran '19; in reserve, Davey '19 and Gray '19. The following hours will be kept during the college year: week days, 9 A. M. to 12,30 P. M.; 1 P. M. to 6 P. M.; 7 P. M. to 11 P. M.; Sundays, 2 P. M. to 4,45 P. M.; 7 P. M. to 10 P. M.

## FACULTY FAVORS MILITARY TRAINING

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted at a meeting of the faculty held Monday, Jan. 31, 1916.

The faculty of Bowdoin College desires to state its conviction on the questions of international peace and of preparation for national defense now before the American people.



1. It believes that the college should, within its sphere, do all in its power to promote among nations a better understanding, good-will, and a strong sense of international justice as a foundation for world peace.

2. It believes that the college should aid in military and naval preparation in this country for the purposes of defense, and, when advisable, for the purpose of securing the observance of international obligations.

As to means:

1. Recognizing that the first of these ends is present implicitly in a number of courses now given, it plans to pursue this end explicitly by deliberate emphasis in these courses and by such modifications of the curriculum as shall be found advantageous.

2. To accomplish the second object, the faculty believes that the college (a) should encourage the attendance of its students at the summer training camps at Plattsburg and elsewhere; (b) that it should secure the services of an army officer to give instruction in an elective course in military science; (c) that it should supplement this military work with such modifications as may appear desirable in courses that are now given; (d) that it should give reasonable credit toward the bachelor's degree for work in military science and for attendance at the student training camps.

These resolutions must first be approved by the Overseers and Trustees at their annual meetings in June but it now seems probable that a course in military science under the instruction of a U. S. army officer will form part of the curriculum next year. In addition to this optional course, a rifle club will probably be started.

Dean Sills makes the following statement in regard to the action of the faculty:

"The faculty has followed out the general idea of preparedness for colleges of the country suggested by Gen. Wood. The faculty has also voted to sanction the formation of a college rifle club. Along with the preparation for preparedness, the college does not want to lose sight of the fact that the rising of sentiment looking to the betterment of international relations is of equal importance."

#### LAST DEBATE IN ENGLISH 5

The English 5 debate on the subject, "Resolved, that Intercollegiate Athletics Should Be Abolished," was held Jan. 25. Lane '17 and Niven '16, upholding the affirmative, were the victors over Moran '17 and P. H. Cobb '17. On the merits of the question, however, all those present voted against the abolition.

The Hiland Lockwood Fairbanks prize for ex-

cellence in debating was awarded to David Alphonso Lane, Jr., '17. Honorable mention was given to Jacob '18 and Moran '17.

#### FENCING MATCHES THIS WEEK

Two fencing matches are scheduled for this week. Saturday at New Haven, Bowdoin will meet Yale, and Friday, Springfield Y. M. C. A. College. The team will be composed of Har- graves '17 (captain), Gray '18 and Hanson '18.

#### INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET SATURDAY

The fourth Bowdoin indoor interscholastic meet will be held next Saturday, Feb. 12, in the Hyde Athletic Building, commencing promptly at 2.15 P. M.

##### ORDER OF TRACK EVENTS

1. 40 yard dash. Trials and semi-finals.
2. Team races—Camden vs. Brunswick; Tops- ham vs. Freeport.
3. 45 yard high hurdles. Trials and semi- finals.
4. Team races—Boothbay vs. Lincoln; Hebron vs. Huntington.
5. 220 yard dash. Trials and semi-finals.
6. Team races—Gorham, N. H., vs. Anson; Freedom vs. Bridge.
7. 880 yard run.
8. 40 yard dash. Final heat.
9. Team races—Biddeford vs. Norwood, Mass.; Portland vs. Bangor.
10. 440 yard run.
11. 220 yard dash. Final heat.
12. Team races—Edward Little High School vs. Lewiston; Coburn vs. Maine Central Institute.
13. 45 yard high hurdles. Final heat.
14. Team races—Leavitt vs. Westbrook; Good Will vs. Cony.

##### ORDER OF FIELD EVENTS

1. Broad jump.
2. High jump.
3. 12-lb. shot put.
4. Pole vault.

The following officials have been chosen for this meet: Referee and clerk of course, B. B. Osthus, Pilgrim A. A.; judges of finish, Dr. Copeland, Dr. Bell, Ireland '16, Crosby '17; timers, Dr. Whittier, Professor Langley, Leadbetter '16; starter, Coach Magee; scorer of track events, Blanchard '17; assistant clerks of course, Bond '17, Philbrick '17, C. Brown '18, Savage '18; field judges, Professor Nixon, Moulton '16, Colbath '17; measurers, White '17, McConaughy '17, Sampson '17; inspectors, Chase '16, McElwee '16, Pierce '17; scorers of field events, Edwards '16, Hall '16; announcer, Fuller '16; custodians of

prizes, Dunn '16, Webber '16; manager, L. H. Marston '17; assistant manager, W. E. Walker '18; assistants, Mahoney '19, R. Stevens '19, Tebbets '19, Hilton '19, Martin '19.

Tickets will be on sale at Chandler's, Wednesday, Feb. 9, at fifty cents for admission and seat.

## THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE BOWDOIN UNION ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

### Article I—Officers

Section I. The officers of the governing board of the Bowdoin Union shall be the chairman, the secretary, the treasurer, and the assistant treasurer.

Section II. The secretary, the treasurer, and the assistant treasurer shall be elected by the governing board from among its members at the first meeting after its election. The treasurer shall be a faculty member.

Section III. All officers shall hold office during the period for which they are elected, provided that they retain active membership on the board during this time.

Section IV. The duties of the chairman shall be to call all meetings, to preside at such meetings, and to perform such special duties as may be assigned to him by the governing board.

Section V. The duties of the secretary shall be to keep a record of all business carried on at the meetings of the governing board, and to carry on and preserve all correspondence.

Section VI. The duties of the treasurer shall be to receive and disburse all funds of the Union, to keep a complete and accurate record of the same, and to make monthly financial reports to the governing board, together with such special reports as may be required.

Section VII. The duties of the assistant treasurer shall be those assigned to him by the treasurer.

Section VIII. The accounts of the Union shall be audited annually by the treasurer of the college and an annual financial report shall be published in the ORIENT.

### Article II—Meetings

Section I. A regular meeting of the governing board shall be held on the first Monday of each month during the academic year.

Section II. Special meetings may be called at the discretion of the chairman.

### Article III—Committees

Section I. The chairman shall appoint, on recommendation of the governing board, such committees as may be found necessary.

### Article IV—Amendments

Section I. These articles of organization shall

be subject to amendment by a majority vote of the governing board.

## BY-LAWS

### Article I—Attendants

Section I. The attendants at the Union shall be appointed by a majority vote of the governing board and shall hold their positions during a semester, unless removed for cause by the board.

Section II. The chairman of the board shall have the power of immediate removal of an attendant for misconduct; such removal shall, however, be reported to the governing board at its next meeting for confirmation.

### Article II—Use of the Union

Section I. The privileges of the Union shall be open to all members of the faculty, to the alumni, and to the students of Bowdoin College.

Section II. All college organizations shall be permitted to hold open meetings in the Union free of charge, provided that the chairman of the governing board be advised of such meetings at least one week in advance.

Section III. College organizations desiring to hold closed meetings in the Union shall be allowed the privilege, subject, however, to a fee determined by the governing board. Application for such privileges must be made to the board at least one week in advance.

### Article III—House Rules

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## Military Science at Bowdoin

The recent resolution of the faculty in favor of military science as an optional course on the curriculum will probably be approved by the boards. Another year Bowdoin will teach military science. The work will be conducted by a United States army officer in accordance with plans of the War Department for military training in colleges. Under such conditions military science would be a valuable addition to the curriculum. The mental effort involved in military work is far greater than that required in several courses that we could mention. The physical benefits derived from military drill are surely as great as those that come from wielding a wooden broadsword.

But the courses in military science must not be allowed to degenerate into the condition of the present elementary "military" drill in gymnasium

work. We must have competent instructors ready to enforce discipline, together with a thorough understanding on the part of "recruits" that the work is serious.

The only part of the scheme that may not meet with success is that attendance at government summer camps is required of those who are to obtain credit for the course. So many Bowdoin students are dependent in part upon their work during the summer that there may be but few who can afford to go to the military camps. It might be possible to substitute for summer camp attendance harder and more advanced work in the course at Bowdoin.

Interest in military work is so great at the present time that the new course can not be other than a success. While we are in no position to discuss preparedness from a national standpoint, we do express satisfaction at the fact that Bowdoin is doing her share in a movement to protect our country against possible aggression.

## The Relay Championship

The Maine championship relay races Saturday were unsatisfactory. The Bates team, running without the services of its captain, was easily defeated by Bowdoin. Colby lost her best man on account of eligibility rules. Bowdoin and Maine, picked to meet in the finals, could not run on account of an injury to Maine's fastest man. The fact that Maine made faster time than Bowdoin in the preliminary races need not be taken as an indication that Bowdoin has the slower team. Bowdoin was not forced to make fast time to win an easy victory over Bates. Bowdoin's practice times have been unusually fast and may well be compared to the fastest made in the meet. We hope that Bowdoin and Maine can meet in a final race and that at an early date.

## Scholarships

This is the time when a faculty committee awards scholarships. Awards are made upon the basis of scholastic standing and the worth and need of the applicant, but every year there are a few who apply who are not in real need of money and to whom a scholarship is but additional pin money. We hope that this last class will be unsuccessful. It should be a point of campus honor, even more strictly enforced than at present, for students of independent means to resist the temptation to apply for easy money.

## The Pop Concert

We hope that undergraduates will be well represented at the Pop Concert given in Portland



Friday through the co-operation of the Musical Clubs and the Portland alumni. Those who like dancing and music will be sure of a good time. And there is an additional reason for attendance. Many prospective Bowdoin men will be present. Here is an opportunity for Portland boys, at least, to talk Bowdoin.

### The Interscholastic Meet

The action of the track management in having the indoor interscholastic meet on a day when it does not conflict with the B.A.A. school boy meet is wise. While only a few out-of-the-state schools have accepted invitations, there are other years to come. There is no better way to interest schoolboy athletes in Bowdoin. We hope that future track managers will continue to invite Massachusetts schools.

### BOWDOIN'S STAND

The resolutions on preparedness recently passed by the faculty aroused the following editorial comment in the Boston Sunday *Herald*, Feb. 6:

#### BOWDOIN'S STAND

More than the academic world has an interest in the resolutions that the faculty of Bowdoin College unanimously adopted last Monday evening. The resolutions earnestly affirm the belief that the college should do all in its power to promote among nations a better understanding, good will and sense of international justice as a foundation for world peace, but it affirms with no less earnestness its belief that the college should aid in the preparation of the country for defence and for securing the observance of international obligations.

The resolutions are more than empty words, for the faculty also votes to encourage the attendance of students at summer military camps, to obtain the services of an army officer to give instruction in military science, to supplement this military work with the necessary modification of existing courses and to give credit toward the bachelor's degree for work in military science and attendance at the student training camps.

The significance in this advanced stand on the great question now before the country lies in the conservatism of Bowdoin and its unquestioned place of high leadership in the American educational world. President Hyde is not only the dean of the thirty or more college presidents of New England, but he is recognized as the peer of any in New England or outside of it. When he writes a book or delivers an address or takes a stand as in this case, the country takes notice.

Four years ago he declined an appointment to the United States Senate as the successor of William P. Frye, for he felt that his position offered him a wider field of service.

Plainly he means to keep Bowdoin worthy of the traditions of a college that once had as its president Gen. Joshua L. Chamberlain, the hero of Little Round Top, and which makes the claim, and backs it up with the figures, that it sent more of its sons, in proportion to their numbers, to the defence of the Union in the civil war than any other college.

### DEBATING TEAMS CHOSEN

The Bradbury Prize debates will be held on Thursday and Friday evening, Feb. 24 and 25. The trials, held Jan. 24, resulted in the choice of the following teams:

Thursday, Feb. 24

#### AFFIRMATIVE

Chapman '17  
Foulke '19  
Moran '17  
Davey '19 (alternate)

#### NEGATIVE

Bowdoin '17  
Coburn '19  
Kinsey '16  
Albion '18 (alternate)

Friday, Feb. 25

Churchill '16  
Hescock '16  
Jacob '18  
McGorrell '19 (alternate)

Allen '17  
Lane '17  
Norton '18  
Niven '16 (alternate)

The subject is the same as that of the intercollegiate debates, "Resolved, that Secretary Garrison's plan for reorganizing the military system of the United States should be adopted." There were eighteen candidates at the trials this year. The judges were Professors Mitchell and Davis and Mr. Meserve.

### MUSICAL CLUBS NOTICE

All members take the car in front of the Medical Building at 7.30 tonight for Topsham.

The Clubs leave for Portland on the 5.05 train, Friday afternoon.

### NEW YORK ALUMNI DINNER

The 47th annual meeting and dinner of the New York Alumni Association was held at the Hotel Manhattan, Feb. 4, with about 125 in attendance.

The principal speakers were Dean Sills '01 and Admiral Robert E. Peary '77, who spoke on the part Bowdoin is planning to take in preparedness; Mayor George H. Putnam '64. Dr. F. H. Albee '99, J. J. Carty and F. H. Bethel of the Bell Telephone Company, and Cyrus H. K. Curtis of Philadelphia. Dr. Lucien Howe '70, president of the association, presided.

An interesting feature of the evening was the direct telephonic connection of the diners with San Francisco, a telephone being at each man's place. Not only were the waves of the Pacific off the Golden Gate heard, but also musical selections by some of California's noted singers. The Bowdoin Alumni of San Francisco were also seated at a banquet and the following spoke briefly to the New York Alumni: Evans S. Pillsbury '63, Bernard C. Carroll '89, Harrison Atwood '09, Stanley Williams '03, Henry Q. Hawes '10 and Arthur Gibson '11. One interesting feature was the greeting between Francis R. Upton '75 of Newark, and his son, Francis R. Upton, Jr., '07 of San Francisco. Oscar Sutro, president of the University of California Alumni Association, also spoke over the wires to the New York Bowdoin men.

The new officers elected were: president, Harrison K. McCann '02; secretary, Joseph B. Roberts '95; and treasurer, George R. Walker '02.

Others present were: Augustus F. Libby '64, Ex-Governor Quimby '69 of New Haven, Hon. James A. Roberts '70, Dr. Fred H. Dillingham '77, Dr. Henry H. Smith '77 of New Haven, George W. Tilton '77, Horace E. Henderson '79, Henry A. Huston '79, Hon. George B. Chandler '90 of Hartford, Conn., Herbert R. Gurney '92 of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Rev. James D. Merriman '92, Rev. George C. DeMott '94, Emery H. Sykes '94, Hoyt A. Moore '95, George T. Ordway '96, Dr. Mortimer Warren '96, Professor William W. Lawrence '98 of Columbia University, Harold F. Dana '99, Harvey D. Gibson '02, A. S. Rodick '02 of Bar Harbor, Philip O. Coffin '03, Dr. Malcolm S. Woodbury '03 of Clifton Springs, N. Y., John W. Frost '04, Prof. Stanley P. Chase '05 of Union College, Schenectady, and Arthur H. Ham '08.

#### ATHLETES STAND HIGH IN COURSES

According to a census recently compiled for the ORIENT of the standing of men on the various athletic teams last spring and this fall, the members of teams in general attain a rank in their studies higher than the average. This is due to the fact that the college authorities do not allow men of low scholarship to represent the college in athletics. The figures for last year, as obtained in a similar census are appended for comparison. In the computations the same basis has been used as that upon which the Friar Cup was awarded last June, namely, A equals 4; B equals 3; C equals 2; D equals 1; E equals —2.

	1914	1915
Cross-Country .....	19.833	17.30
Track .....	14.566	17.25

Relay .....	11.000	16.75
Fencing .....	18.300	15.60
Football .....	15.625	15.00
Baseball .....	10.700	12.60
Tennis .....	14.500	10.00
Average of Athletes .....	14.310	14.80
Average of College .....	12.821	12.30

#### The Other Colleges

According to the *Bates Student* there are ninety-two men on the track squad this winter, three-fourths of whom are reporting regularly.

The University of Maine Track Club is exceedingly active this winter. A dance will be held early this year under the auspices of the club, the proceeds going into a fund to interest prominent athletes in Maine and offer them financial aid in cases of necessity.

In one of the most keenly contested Bowl Fights at the University of Pennsylvania on Jan. 12, one Freshman was killed, five Sophomores were seriously injured, and a score of others received minor injuries. As a result of the fatality, it is probable that the Bowl Fight will be abolished. The Sophomore class and the Undergraduate Committee voted to recommend abolition of the fight to each of the four classes, proposing that a system of interclass athletic contests be established on a firm basis.

Military drill, so far as is practicable without the use of rifles, will begin at Colby under the direction of Coach Harvey Cohn. The manoeuvres will include formation drilling, wall scaling, etc. If guns can be obtained, the training may later take on a more serious aspect.

Dartmouth's big annual winter carnival will be held on Feb. 10, 11 and 12. There will be a hockey game on Alumni Oval Feb. 11, with preliminary heats of the intercollegiate ski and snowshoe competitions. The finals will be contested the next afternoon. C. G. Paulson of New Hampshire State College will give an exhibition on skis, and in the evening there will be a basketball game between Yale and Dartmouth.

Hereafter, those who fail to pass the entrance examinations at Wesleyan will be held to "strict accountability," for the following new rule is now operative: "A student with entrance conditions after his first year will be ranked as a freshman through the whole year, even though during the year he makes up the condition." This rule may apply through later years, so that a student will always be ranked a freshman who has any entrance conditions standing against him. Students thus failing of promotion will be ineligible to represent the college in any activities.

### With the Faculty

Dr. Burnett attended the Amherst alumni banquet in Boston Friday evening.

Dr. Whittier entertained the Town and Country Club at his home Friday evening.

Dean Sills represented the college at the Philadelpia alumni banquet on Friday evening.

Professor Langley addressed the students of Westbrook Seminary, Thursday, Jan. 27. The services were held in connection with the national college and preparatory day of prayer. Professor Langley's subject was "The Individual's Responsibility to Society."

Professor Bell spoke before the Maine Historical Society in Portland, Jan. 27, on "The West India Trade before the American Revolution." In this paper he showed that the colonies got the money to pay for their imports from England from the lucrative trade with the West Indies.

### On the Campus

Wood '16 graduates at mid-years.

Maine will not be on Yale's football schedule next fall.

The Musical Clubs entertain across the river this evening.

Greeley *ex-'16* has returned to college as a member of 1917.

The much-postponed Senior election is scheduled for Thursday evening.

Ben Houser is expected tomorrow to supervise the work of the baseball men in the cage.

Botany I laboratory work may be done at 9.30 or 10.30 in the morning or in the afternoon.

Among those who have left college are: Atkins '18, Dumas '18, J. W. Thomas '18, Lombard '19.

Colby is trying to organize a Maine Intercollegiate Chess League. No definite steps have been taken yet.

The American String Quartet, consisting of first and second violin, viola and violoncello, and assisted by H. F. Merrill, baritone, will entertain in Memorial Hall, Thursday evening, Feb. 10, under the auspices of the Saturday Club. Admission is free to students.

Efforts are being made to organize a rifle club at Bowdoin. Among the prominent shots interested in the matter are Professor Langley, Johnson '18 who was schoolboy rifle champion of the country, Sayward '16, Schlossberg '18 and Wallace '18.

More notoriety for Bowdoin. The account of that exam in modern history has been discussed in the editorial columns of the *Literary Digest*, *Harvard Crimson*, *Yale News* and the *Pennsylvania*, as well as in the *New York Times*. New York University is also involved in the affair.

A hockey team unofficially representing Bowdoin defeated the Portland Country Club at the latter's rink last week. The Brunswick team was made up of Irving '16, Littlefield '16, Bartlett '17, Bradford '17, C. D. Brown '18, Irving '19 and MacIninch '19. A hockey team in Toronto has challenged this team.

Once more has a familiar face been removed from the campus by death. Frank L. Melcher, for many years janitor of Winthrop Hall, died last Wednesday noon after a comparatively short sickness. Mr. Melcher was about 47 years of age, and was a member of the Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias and Red Men.

Dr. William E. Leighton '95, who has just returned from France where he was a member of the Chicago Unit of Surgeons, was *on the campus* last week. Dr. Leighton had been located since last June in a hospital near Boulogne about forty miles from the firing line, and spoke in a very interesting manner of his experiences with the wounded.

The newspapers have been telling a good joke on a member of the faculty. One of those attending the alumni dinner in Portland recently had to jump the train after it had started and by mistake picked a blind baggage. He hung on there till the train slowed down at Yarmouth and then jumped off, attracting the attention of the train crew who stopped for him to enter a regular coach.

### CALENDAR

February

8. Musical Clubs in Topsham.
10. Saturday Club entertainment, the American String Quartet, Memorial Hall.
- Senior Elections.
11. Pop Concert in Portland.
- Fencing, Springfield Training School at Springfield.
12. Interscholastic Indoor Meet in the Athletic Building.
- Fencing, Yale at New Haven.
14. Musical Clubs in Bath.
17. Musical Clubs in Rockland.
18. Musical Clubs in Damariscotta.
19. Relay, Wesleyan at Providence.
21. Relay, Worcester Polytechnic Institute at Hartford.
22. Washington's Birthday.
24. Bradbury Prize Debates.
25. Bradbury Prize Debates.
- Bowdoin Interscholastic Debates.
- Delta Kappa Epsilon House Party.
26. Sophomore Hop.
27. President Fitch, College Preacher.



## Alumni Department

'40.—Sixty-four years in one pulpit is probably the long-distance record for ministers, and it is all the more remarkable when one considers that Dr. Edward Robie, of Greenland, N. H., who will soon celebrate the sixty-fifth year of his pastorate, is 94 years of age. As far as is known, he is the oldest active clergyman in the United States.

The Greenland Congregational Church had had six pastors previous to the coming of Dr. Robie, all of whom served long terms, the first pastor serving 53 years. The church claimed the services of Dr. Robie when he was fresh from divinity school, and he has never filled any other pastorate. During his pastorate he has nearly doubled the membership of the church. He is on the best of terms with his parishioners, and in spite of his advanced age he enjoys excellent health. He is one of the leaders, not only in church matters, but also in the affairs of the town.

'61.—A bronze tablet to the memory of Francis Libby Hobson has been placed in the wall of St. Mark's Church, Berkeley, California, the gift of Mrs. Hobson. Mr. Hobson was a member of the Vestry of St. Mark's for twelve years, and for the last five years was Senior Warden. The *Berkeley Churchman* says of him that "he was a true Christian gentleman of the finest type, unselfish, and so humble in spirit that he had no knowledge of the large influence of his character."

'66.—John Jacob Herrick, former president of the Chicago Bar Association, died at his home in Chicago, Jan. 29, of pneumonia. He is survived by four children, one of whom is Mrs. Arthur Havemeyer of New York. Mr. Herrick was born in 1845 in Hillsboro, Ill., moving to Chicago with his parents in 1846. His father, who was a prominent physician, was first president of the Illinois State Medical Society. After graduating at Bowdoin College in 1866 Mr. Herrick entered a law office in Chicago, later becoming a member of the firm of Dexter, Herrick & Allen. Mr. Herrick was a member of the Law Institute of Chicago and the Citizens' Association, and of the University, Chicago, and Chicago Literary Clubs.

'75.—William A. Deering, educator and business man, died, Jan. 8, at his home in Minneapolis, Minn. He was born at Harrison, Maine, in 1848, and after being graduated from Bowdoin College in the class of 1875 taught in academies in the New England states. From 1884 to 1888

he was secretary of the faculty at the University of Vermont, and from 1886 to 1888 was an instructor in history. During the six years that followed he conducted, with the assistance of Mrs. Deering, a private school at Clifton Springs, N. Y. In 1894 he went to Tabor College, Tabor, Iowa, as lecturer in history. He remained one year in this position, and for four years following was professor of political economy and dean of Fargo College, Fargo, N. Dak. Since 1899, he has been engaged in the insurance and real estate business in Minneapolis, Minn. He was a member and active worker in the Linden Hills Congregational Church of that city.

'77.—A number of the graduates of the college give a dinner to Admiral Robert E. Peary of the class of 1877 at the Worcester Club Monday evening, Jan. 24. The dinner preceded a lecture by Admiral Peary before the Worcester Mechanics Association on "The Conquest of the North Pole." Those present at the dinner were: O. C. Evans '76, Joseph K. Greene '77, R. E. Peary '77, O. R. Cook '85, Dr. Tripp, Medic '96, Dr. Edward R. Trowbridge, Medic '84, Dr. Horsman '94, Medic '97, Lancy '99, C. A. Towle '99, C. S. Bavis '06, L. M. Erskine '07, Dr. B. H. Mason, Medic '07, H. C. L. Ashby '12, W. S. Greene '13, Robinson, *Ex-'17*, Colton, *Ex-'17*.

'94.—Rev. George C. DeMott, formerly pastor of the Central Congregational Church, Bath, Maine, and more recently acting rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, Jersey City, N. J., is leaving that church to assume independent work. Rev. Mr. DeMott's arrival in Jersey City, as assistant to the rector, the late Rev. George D. Hadley, was at the time the church edifice was burned. The work of the parish was thereby increased, and Mr. DeMott's work was made still greater by the death, the following summer, of Rev. Mr. Hadley. Since then he has been acting rector of a parish of two thousand communicants, the largest in the state.

*Ex-'98*.—George C. Minard of Boston has been recently elected superintendent of schools at Bristol, R. I., to fill an unexpired term ending next September. After leaving Bowdoin, Mr. Minard was principal of the Ninth Grade School of Bath, and then was for three years superintendent of schools of Rockland. He served then as superintendent successively at Newton, Wrentham, Plainfield and Hopkinton, Mass. From 1911 to 1914 he was in charge of the Parental School at Roxbury, Mass., and was subsequently employed in special work in the Boston School Department, resigning last June.

'01.—Announcement cards have been received of the marriage of Stanley C. Willey of New York City and Miss Virginia Allen of Summit, Maine. They are now living at Hotel Seymour, New York City, and will be at home at Dobbs Ferry after March 1. Mr. Willey is employed by Nilsen, Rantoul & Co., paper merchants and importers and exporters, in New York City.

'03.—Dr. Malcom S. Woodbury has been appointed superintendent of the Clifton Sanitarium, Clifton Springs, N. Y., where he has been a physician since 1906, in which year he received the degree of M.D. from Jefferson Medical College.

'07.—On Jan. 15 at Westbrook, Me., occurred the marriage of George W. Craigie of Westbrook to Miss Glenna McQuarry of Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Craigie are now spending their honeymoon in the Bermudas, and after their return will be at home at 176 Mason Street, Westbrook.

'09.—Rev. Fred V. Stanley was installed on Jan. 22 as pastor of the Cohasset (Mass.) Congregational Church.

'12.—Stephen W. Hughes has been admitted to the bar, and will begin practice in the office of Judge Gould of Portland, with whom he has studied since graduation.

'13.—The engagement of Reginald O. Conant of Portland and Miss Marion Drew of Brunswick was announced last week.

'13.—Harold D. Gilbert has severed his connection with the Crown Cork & Seal Co., of Baltimore, and is in the employ of E. Crosby & Co., flour, grain and hay merchants, of Brattleboro, Vt.

'14.—Hebron M. Adams is at present engaged in fruit-culture at North Sebago, Me.

'14.—Harold M. Hayes, instructor in physics at Bowdoin during the year 1914-15, is studying law in his father's office at Foxcroft, Me.

'14.—John Heywood had an extensive exhibit at the recent Boston Poultry Show. Mr. Heywood, who has a large duck farm at Gardner, Mass., has gone to Avery Island, La., in quest of new and rare specimens.

'14.—Kenneth A. Robinson of Biddeford, Me., has been appointed instructor in English at Dartmouth College, and will begin his duties on Feb. 8. Mr. Robinson has been pursuing for a year and a half a post-graduate course in English at Harvard University, from which institution he received last June the degree of A.M. He will teach at Dartmouth for the remainder of the year and next fall will return to Harvard, where he will complete his course in the Graduate School. The appointment came unsolicited.

'08 to '14.—Among those who received graduate degrees at Harvard last June are the following Bowdoin men: S. Edwards '10 and A. C. Gibson '11, M.D.; W. H. Clifford '11, J. J. Devine '11, E. G. Fifield '11, C. F. Adams '12, H. A. Andrews '12 and A. D. Welch '12, LL.B.; A. P. Cushman '13, M.B.A.; D. T. Parker '08, P. W. Meserve '11, E. C. Gage '14, L. H. Gibson, Jr., '14 and K. A. Robinson '14, A.M.



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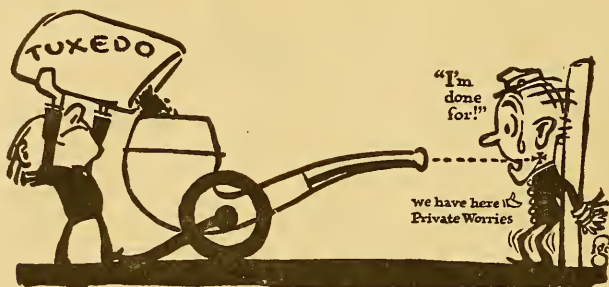
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## GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

The faculty has awarded the two graduate scholarships to Donald Sherman White and Laurence Irving. White will receive the Henry W. Longfellow graduate scholarship, given in memory of the poet by his three daughters, providing for graduate work in the field of letters. His present intention is to study English literature at Princeton University. The Charles Carroll Everett scholarship has been granted to Irving who will do graduate work in biology at Harvard. The present holders of the scholarships are Robert P. Coffin '15, who is studying English literature at Princeton under the Longfellow scholarship, and Austin H. MacCormick '15, who is studying at Columbia under the Everett scholarship.

## FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE MEET PLANS

Coach Magee, Capt. Leadbetter, Manager Marston, Capt. Turner of the Freshman track team and Capt. Pirnie of the Sophomore team, met at the Union last Wednesday evening to make plans for the coming Freshman-Sophomore meet. It was decided that the regular order of events for interclass meets should hold this year, with the addition of the discus and 36-lb. weight throw to take place in the afternoon. Prizes are to be given to the first, second and third winners of events. With regard to this meet Dr. Whittier posted a notice that all men who wish to participate will be obliged to train at least three weeks in advance, and must report to Coach Magee every day during that time for instruction. Anyone failing to observe this will not be allowed to enter the meet.

## CROSBY WINS AUGUSTA CUP

The Wing Cup of Augusta, awarded annually by the Augusta alumni to the man who makes the fastest time in the relay trials for the B. A. A., was won by Clarence H. Crosby, whose time of 46 and four-fifths seconds broke the track record. Last year Crosby and Wyman tied for the cup. Past winners have been Harrison Atwood '09, Henry Colbath '10, Robert Cole '12, Charles Has-

sell '13, who won it twice, and Leland S. McElwee '16.

## PORTLAND WINS ABRAXAS CUP

The Abraxas cup, awarded annually to the school sending three or more men to Bowdoin whose graduates attain the highest scholarship during the first semester of their Freshman year, was won this year by Portland High School. Brunswick High, Deering High and Cony followed closely in the order named. The figures for the seven highest schools follow:

Class	No. of men	Average grade
Portland High	5	11.900
Brunswick High	5	11.400
Deering High	4	11.125
Cony High	3	11.000
Morse High	3	10.667
Edward Little High	4	10.000
Fryeburg Academy	3	10.000

## FRIAR CUP STANDING

The Friar Cup, awarded each semester to the highest ranking fraternity at Bowdoin, has this semester been won by Beta Chi. Alpha Delta Phi is second, while Phi Theta Upsilon, whose members, as the Bowdoin Club, won this cup both semesters last year, ranks third. The averages of the different fraternities and delegations are as follows:

	No. of men.	Total grade.	Ave. grade.
Beta Chi .....	22	267	12.136
Alpha Delta Phi .....	29	331	11.413
Phi Theta Upsilon.....	40	450.5	11.263
Delta Upsilon .....	40	439.5	10.988
Delta Kappa Epsilon.....	40	438.5	10.963
Beta Theta Pi.....	32	322	10.063
Kappa Sigma .....	38.5	383.5	9.961
Theta Delta Chi.....	30	292.5	9.750
Zeta Psi .....	35	336.5	9.614
Psi Upsilon .....	29	273.5	9.431
Non-Fraternity .....	50	409.5	8.190
1916			
Beta Chi .....	3	44	14.667
Delta Kappa Epsilon.....	10	144	14.400
Alpha Delta Phi.....	7	95	13.571
Theta Delta Chi.....	5	67	13.400

Delta Upsilon	11	142	12.909	The colors of the new organization are purple and gold, and the pins are of an attractive design, featuring the three Greek letters.
Kappa Sigma	9	107	11.889	The charter members of Phi Theta Upsilon are:
Phi Theta Upsilon	7	81	11.571	From 1916—Francis Howard Bate of Ticonderoga, N. Y., James Hiram Brewster of Lisbon Falls, Carrol William Hodgkins of Portsmouth, N. H., Raymond Horace Larrabee of Bridgton, Maurice Clifton Proctor of Portland, Abraham Seth Schwartz of Portland, Harry Sanborn Thomas of Farmington Falls.
Zeta Psi	7	81	11.571	From 1917—Raymond Foster Colby of Richmond, Kenneth Wayne Davis of Monson, Lafayette Francis Dow of South Paris, Walter Arnold Fenning of Lynn, Mass., Robert Newell Fillmore of Old Orchard, Wilfred Dixon Harrison of Silsden, Yorkshire, England, Harvey Daniel Miller of Bangor, Frank Earle Noyes of Topsham; Deane Stanfield Peacock of Freeport, Arthur Berton Scott of Waldoboro, Isaac Mervyn Webber of Weeks Mills, Frederick William Willey of Carmel.
Beta Theta Pi	7	80	11.429	From 1918—Bradbury Julian Bagley of Jacksonville, Murray Murch Bigelow of South Paris, Clarence Lloyd Claff of Randolph, Mass., Glenn Farmer of Farmington, Linwood Harry Jones of Carmel, Richard Paine Keigwin of Mount Vernon, N. Y., William Ralph Needelman of Portland, Albert Laurence Prosser of Lisbon Falls, Daniel Calhoun Roper, Jr., of Washington, D. C., Willis Richardson Sanderson of Brookings, S. D., Roy Spear of Warren, Norman Daniel Stewart of Richmond, Everett Langdon Wass of Cherryfield, Verne Josiah Wheat of Groton, N. H.
Non-Fraternity	5	57	11.400	From 1919—Frederic Canavella of Brooklyn, N. Y., Fred Babson Chadbourne of East Waterford, Ellsworth Manley Gray of East Machias, Frank Buchanan Morrison of Lisbon, Harold Boardman Sawyer of Farmington, Harry Martin Schwartz of Portland, Allan Whitney Sylvester of Harrison.
Psi Upsilon	7	77	11.000	
1917				
Theta Delta Chi	5	74	14.800	
Zeta Psi	8	111	13.875	
Non-Fraternity	5	68	13.600	
Alpha Delta Phi	6	78	13.000	
Kappa Sigma	8	101	12.625	
Delta Kappa Epsilon	12	150	12.500	
Phi Theta Upsilon	12	150	12.500	
Beta Chi	3	36	12.000	
Psi Upsilon	5	58	11.600	
Beta Theta Pi	10	113.5	11.350	
Delta Upsilon	10	97	9.700	
1918				
Delta Upsilon	8	107	13.375	
Beta Chi	11	120	10.909	
Phi Theta Upsilon	14	150	10.714	
Kappa Sigma	10	101	10.100	
Alpha Delta Phi	7	68	9.714	
Psi Upsilon	13	107	8.916	
Theta Delta Chi	12	106	8.833	
Beta Theta Pi	8	68	8.500	
Zeta Psi	9	73	8.111	
Delta Kappa Epsilon	4	31.5	7.875	
Non-Fraternity	16	122	7.625	
1919				
Beta Chi	5	67	13.400	
Alpha Delta Phi	9	90	10.000	
Phi Theta Upsilon	7	69.5	9.929	
Beta Theta Pi	8	60.5	8.643	
Delta Upsilon	11	93.5	8.500	
Delta Kappa Epsilon	14	113	8.071	
Non-Fraternity	24	162.5	6.771	
Zeta Psi	11	71.5	6.500	
Kappa Sigma	11.5	74.5	6.478	
Psi Upsilon	5	31.5	6.300	
Theta Delta Chi	8	45.5	5.688	

### NEW FRATERNITY FORMED

A new local fraternity has been formed at Bowdoin by forty of the members of the Bowdoin Club. It has taken the name of Phi Theta Upsilon and has leased the old Bowdoin Club house for the present semester. Faculty approval was granted at the faculty meeting last week. 340 of the 400 Bowdoin men are now members of some fraternity.

The new fraternity began its official existence at a banquet in the Congress Square Hotel, Portland, last Thursday. J. H. Brewster '16 was toastmaster, while several members made speeches.

### HEBRON WINS CLOSE MEET

The fourth annual interscholastic indoor track meet, held in the Hyde Athletic Building, Saturday, was the most successful and closely contested which has yet been held here. Hebron Academy and Huntington School of Boston fought hard for victory, Hebron winning by a single point, 23 to 22. This is the first time that out of the state schools have sent men to compete in this meet and it resulted in a much faster and closer meet than in past years.

The chief record breaker of the meet was Pelletier, of St. John's Preparatory School, who took fourth place in the meet and broke two records,

in the high jump and broad jump. His jump of 5 feet, 10 inches equals the Maine Intercollegiate record. His distance of 20 feet, 4¾ inches in the broad jump displaces the record held by Hutton of Hebron of 19 feet, 7 inches. Marling of Huntington was high point winner, taking three first places for a total of 15 points, making a new record in the 440 yard run and also winning the 40 yard dash and the 220 yard dash. The other record broken was in the 880 yard run, by Gorton of Moses Brown School, Providence. His time was 2 minutes, 11 4-5 seconds.

The four year eligibility rule was strictly enforced and cost both Hebron and Huntington two of their best men. Jordan of Hebron, who holds the record in the 220 yard run, was declared ineligible by the Athletic Council and Welch of Huntington was withdrawn voluntarily for the same reason.

The most exciting of the relay races was between Huntington and Hebron. Huntington won in spite of falls, by the fast running of Marling, the Huntington captain. The Portland-Bangor relay caused considerable excitement, Fox, running anchor for Portland, making up a handicap of 50 yards upon his opponent and winning.

The meet was not decided until the last event, the pole vault. At that time, Huntington was two points ahead but Huntington had no entry and Chase of Hebron won second place, giving the meet to Hebron.

The order in which the schools finished was: Hebron 23, Huntington 22, Maine Central Institute 12, St. John's Prep 10, Moses Brown 5, Portland 4, Lewiston 4, Coburn Classical 1. The following were entered but made no points: Anson, Bangor, Biddeford, Boothbay, Bridge, Brunswick, Camden, Cony, Deering, E. L. H. S., Freeport, Fryeburg, Gorham, N. H., Leavitt, Lincoln Academy, Morse, Norwood, Topsham, Westbrook.

Following is the summary of events:

40 yard dash—First heat won by Oakes, Hebron, time 4 4-5 seconds; second heat won by Purinton, Hebron, time 4 4-5 seconds; third heat won by Shoemaker, Hebron, time 4 4-5 seconds; fourth heat won by Marling, Huntington, time 4 3-5 seconds; fifth heat won by Emery, M. C. I., time 5 seconds; sixth heat won by Powers, Coburn, time 4 4-5 seconds; semi-finals: first heat won by Oakes, Hebron; second, Emery, M. C. I., time 4 3-5 seconds; second heat won by Marling, Huntington; second, Powers, Coburn, time 4 3-5 seconds; final heat won by Marling, Huntington; second, Oakes, Hebron; third, Powers, Coburn, time 4 4-5 seconds.

45 yard high hurdles—First heat won by Pooler, Hebron, time 6 4-5 seconds; second heat won

by Wentworth, Hebron, time 6 3-5 seconds; third heat won by Emery, M.C.I., time 6 4-5 seconds; final heat won by Emery, M. C. I.; second, Pooler, Hebron; third, Wentworth, Hebron, time 6 3-5 seconds.

220 yard dash—First heat won by Marling, Huntington; second, Hunton, Portland, time 28 1-5 seconds; second heat won by Murphy, Hebron; second, Nash, Portland, time 28 1-5 seconds; final heat won by Marling, Huntington; second, Murphy, Hebron; third, Caldwell, Huntington, time 27 1-5 seconds.

880 yard run—Won by Gorton, Moses Brown; second, Morrill, Huntington; third, Cleaves, Hebron, time 2 minutes, 11 4-5 seconds. (Record.)

440 yard run—Won by Marling, Huntington; second, LeClair, Hebron; third, Libby, M. C. I., time 59 4-5 seconds. (Record.)

Running broad jump—Won by Pelletier, St. John's Prep; second, Fox, Portland; third, LeGendre, Lewiston, distance 20 feet, 4¾ inches. (Record.)

Running high jump—Won by Pelletier, St. John's Prep; second, LeGendre, Lewiston; third, Pooler, Hebron, distance 5 feet, 10 inches. (Record.)

Putting 12 pound shot—Won by Murphy, Hebron; second, Rico, Huntington; third, Emery, M. C. I., distance 48 feet, 9 inches.

Pole vault—Won by Richardson, M. C. I.; second, Chase, Hebron; third, Hennessey, Portland, height 9 feet, 9 inches.

#### RELAY RACES

Camden vs. Brunswick, won by Brunswick; time, 1 minute, 53 seconds.

Topsham vs. Freeport, won by Topsham; time, 1 minute, 58 seconds.

Boothbay vs. Lincoln, won by Lincoln; time, 1 minute, 58 seconds.

Hebron vs. Huntington, won by Huntington; time, 1 minute, 49 seconds.

Gorham, N. H., vs. Anson, won by Gorham; time, 1 minute, 57 seconds.

Morse vs. Deering, won by Deering; (no time taken).

Freedom vs. Bridge, won by Freedom; time, 1 minute, 59 4-5 seconds.

Biddeford vs. Cony, won by Cony; time, 1 minute, 54 4-5 seconds.

Portland vs. Bangor, won by Portland; time, 1 minute, 50 seconds.

Edward Little vs. Lewiston, won by Lewiston; time, 1 minute, 50 1-5 seconds.

Coburn vs. M. C. I., won by M. C. I.; time, 1 minute, 40 1-5 seconds.

Westbrook vs. Leavitt, won by Leavitt; time, 1 minute, 56 3-5 seconds.



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## The Need for an Infirmary

The many cases of grippé this winter have emphasized Bowdoin's need for an infirmary. The number of men who come to Bowdoin from a considerable distance is increasing every year. We should have some means more suited than we have at present for providing medical attention and nursing for those students who are unable to go home when sickness threatens. An infirmary need not be a large building and it need not be unduly expensive. We hope that before many years Bowdoin will have an infirmary.

## Maine's Lack of Sportsmanship

Now comes *The Maine Campus* with a most distressing wail about the Maine relay championship. "There is no relay championship team in the state today," says the *Campus*, among other

statements of similar nature. "The B. A. A. team did not lose a race as they did not run it."

What is the matter with the Maine men? Can't they take a beating without crying baby about it? Of course Bowdoin won the championship—if the decision of the B. A. A. officials had anything to do with it. Bowdoin has taken defeats at the hands of Maine without murmur. Maine should take her defeats in like fashion. The championship is decided, but if Maine wants to run Bowdoin for the sport of it, let her proceed by proper methods. If Maine does not want to run Bowdoin, there is but one thing Maine can do, and she should do that with the best grace possible.

## A Use for Our Spare Change

A letter from Dr. Frank A. Smith '12, who is now serving in a hospital in France, describes vividly the needs of convalescent soldiers for cigarettes, graphophones and similar articles to help pass the weary hours. Dr. Smith suggests that Bowdoin send contributions for the purchase of these comforts.

This year the Y. M. C. A. cabinet voted to discontinue, temporarily, at least, financial aid for Hiwale. If the cabinet wishes to solicit contributions for a worthy cause, here is an opportunity. The money that would otherwise be spent foolishly would provide material comfort for those who have risked their all for their country.

## How to Wear Overshoes

A Brunswick alumnus tells us of the disfavor with which Brunswick people look upon the student custom of going downstreet with overshoes flapping. He even goes so far as to say that members of the fairer sex regard as toughs students who are addicted to the unbuckled overshoe. Let the girls show their righteous indignation by refusing to go to college dances with boys who have fallen so low as to shock the senses of law-abiding persons.

## STRAIGHT A MEN

Eleven Bowdoin students received straight A grades for last semester's college work. They were: From 1916, Baxter, Brown, Canney, Kinsey, and Winter; from 1917, B. W. Bartlett, Little, Oliver, and Stone; from 1918, Jacob; and from 1919, Burleigh. This is the third straight semester in which Bartlett '17 and Oliver '17 have been included in this list of honor men.

## TRACK NOTES

The state relay championship which remained undetermined after the recent B.A.A. Meet in Boston, may yet be run off if an agreement can be reached. An opportunity to hold this race

was offered by the managers of the 9th Regiment games which take place in Boston Feb. 22. Already Bowdoin, although technically the holder of the championship because of default, has signified her willingness to run. Coach Magee is willing and the faculty has given its consent. It remains for Maine to agree to the race.

Our entries in the Coast Artillery meet, to be held in Providence, Feb. 22, have been cancelled.

The relay team will run against Worcester Polytechnical Institute at Hartford, Feb. 21. The race will be run on a flat track, each man running one-quarter of a mile, without spikes.

A call has been made for men to train for the Freshmen relay with the Bates Freshman team to take place Mar. 11.

### RALLY SATURDAY NIGHT

A successful and well-attended rally was held Saturday night for the benefit of the preparatory school men here. Speeches were made by Jack Magee, Shumway '17, and Dr. Whittier. Dean Sills presented the track shield to Captain Cleaves of the Hebron team, which had won it for the fourth successive year. Stratton '16 and Sturgis '19 played a flute and violin duet and music was furnished by a sextette from the mandolin club, composed of Kelley '16, Head '16, L. C. Parmenter '16, Stratton '16, Sutcliffe '17 and McQuillan '18, with B. Edwards '19 accompanist. Holt and Ireland, Medic '18, sparring three exciting rounds. Maguire '17, Willey '17 and Mooers '18 appeared in a comedy skit "Rosalie" and Biggers '17 presented song and dance features. Madame Fatima was skilfully impersonated by Kimball, Medic '18 and E. A. Carter of Portland entertained the crowd with a sleight of hand performance. Apples and smokes were distributed and the band furnished music. Leadbetter '16 was chairman.

### FENCING TEAM LOSES

At Springfield, the Bowdoin fencers were defeated by the Springfield Training School team, Friday evening, 6 to 3. The second bout, between Fowler and Hanson, required two extra periods before the result could be determined. The summary:

Rowley, Springfield, defeated Gray, Bowdoin, 4-3; Fowler, Springfield, defeated Hanson, Bowdoin, 13-12; Capt. Zinn, Springfield, defeated Capt. Hargraves, Bowdoin, 12-7; Zinn, Springfield, defeated Gray, Bowdoin, 12-5; Rowley, Springfield, defeated Hanson, Bowdoin, 9-3; Hargraves, Bowdoin, defeated Todd, Springfield, 7-3; Zinn, Springfield, defeated Hanson, Bowdoin, 12-6; Hargraves, Bowdoin, defeated Row-

ley, Springfield, 7-1; Gray, Bowdoin, defeated Fowler, Springfield, 9-8.

Saturday night, at New Haven, Yale won 8 to 1. Hanson was the only Bowdoin man to win his bout, tying twice at 8-8 and 13-13 before he was able to win 14-13. The summary:

Little, Yale, beat Hanson, Bowdoin, 9-3; Icaza, Yale, beat Gray, Bowdoin, 7-6; Pfeieger, Yale, beat Hargraves, Bowdoin, 7-3; Little, Yale, beat Gray, Bowdoin, 7-1; Icaza, Yale, beat Hargraves, Bowdoin, 7-5; Pfeieger, Yale, beat Gray, Bowdoin, 7-0; Hanson, Bowdoin, beat Curtis, Yale, 8-8, 13-13, 14-13.

### INTERCLASS HOCKEY COMMENCES

The first of the interclass hockey games was held between the Juniors and the Freshmen last Thursday afternoon, the Freshmen being the victors, three to two. The stars for the Freshmen were Burr and MacIninch, while Bartlett and Little played well for the losers. Owing to the small size of the college rink, only six men represented each class. The line-ups were as follows:

<i>Freshmen</i>	<i>Juniors</i>
R. Irving, f.....	f, Little
McCarthy, c.....	c, Bradford
Burr, f.....	f, Bartlett
MacIninch, c p.....	c p, Greeley
McCulloch, p.....	p, Keene
Sproul, g.....	g, Phillips

Referee, L. Irving '16.

The goals for the Freshmen were made by Irving, MacIninch and McCarthy; for the Juniors, by Little and Greeley.

### BOWDOIN'S STRONG MEN

The official list of Bowdoin's strong men, as compiled by Dr. Whittier is the result of the physical examinations given to all new students in the academic department and to all candidates for athletic teams. The strength tests are recorded in kilograms, but may be approximately reckoned in pounds, by multiplying by two and a fifth.

Of the ten highest men in college, according to the tests of this year, six are Seniors, two are Juniors, and two are Sophomores. No Freshmen appear on the list. Last year there were five Juniors, three Sophomores, one Senior and one Freshman among the ten strong men.

In considering the average strength tests by classes for all men examined, it should be remembered that the men representing the three upper classes are chiefly candidates for athletic teams, while the average for the Freshman class includes all members of the class.

The results are as follows:

## TEN STRONGEST MEN IN COLLEGE

1. James Burleigh Moulton '16; strength of lungs, 24; strength of back, 230; strength of legs, 430; strength of upper arms, 286; strength of fore arms, 127; total strength, 1097.

2. Guy Whitman Leadbetter '16; lungs, 19; back, 240; legs, 550; upper arms, 91.3; fore arms, 135; total strength, 1035.3.

3. Leland Stanford McElwee '16; lungs, 15; back, 225; legs, 500; upper arms, 140; fore arms, 142; total strength, 1022.

4. Walter Arnold Fenning '17; lungs, 22; back, 192; legs, 430; upper arms, 263.31; fore arms, 110; total strength, 1017.1.

5. Boyd Wheeler Bartlett '17; lungs, 18.5; back, 225; legs, 400; upper arms, 228.2; fore arms, 118; total strength, 989.7.

6. Henry Gerard Wood '16; lungs, 16; back, 195; legs, 495; upper arms, 151.2; fore arms, 109; total strength, 966.2.

7. Walter Emery Chase, Jr., '16; lungs, 21; back, 195; legs, 510; upper arms 94.1; fore arms, 133; total strength, 953.1.

8. Lester Francis Wallace '18; lungs, 17; back, 145; legs, 500; upper arms, 162.8; fore arms, 103; total strength, 927.8.

9. Lawrence Joseph Hart '16; lungs, 22.5; back, 195; legs, 430; upper arms, 161.5; fore arms, 118; total strength, 927.

10. William Wagg Simonton '18; lungs, 15; back, 165; legs, 440; upper arms, 191.2; fore arms, 108; total strength, 919.2.

Class of 1916, (total strengths): 1. Moulton, 1097; 2. Leadbetter, 1035.2; 3. McElwee, 1022; 4. Wood, 966.2; 5. Chase, 953.1; 6. Hart, 927; 7. Brewster, 913.4; 8. Campbell, 858.7; 9. Crossman, 818.6; 10. Ramsdell, 804.3.

Class of 1917: 1. Fenning, 1017.1; 2. B. W. Bartlett, 989.9; 3. Fillmore, 892.2; 4. Colbath, 890.6; 5. Keene, 861; 6. Shumway, 848.5; 7. Bradford, 837.6; 8. Stone, 830.4; 9. Rickard, 760.2; 10. Achorn, 759.3.

Class of 1918: 1. Wallace, 927.8; 2. Simonton, 919.2; 3. Peacock, 893.8; 4. MacMullin, 869.4; 5. Hanson, 846.5; 6. Edwards, 823.7; 7. Philbrick, 804.4; 8. Jones, 782.3; 9. MacIntosh, 763.2; 10. Savage, 761.3.

Class of 1919: 1. Sprague, 879.7; 2. Robbins, 878.7; 3. Decker, 829.9; 4. McClave, 810.7; 5. Noyes, 791.4; 6. Canavella, 783.9; 7. Mosher, 762.3; 8. P. S. Turner, 756.3; 9. Johnson, 750.5; 10. Kern, 745.

Special: G. M. Stephens, 774.6.

## AVERAGE STRENGTH BY CLASSES

Class	No. of Men	Ave. Total Examined Strength
1. 1916	38	718.45

2. 1917	35	702.84
3. 1918	52	631.62
4. Specials	5	587.4
5. 1919	115	576.15

## Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The annual State Students' Conference will be held in Fairfield, February 18, 19, and 20. This conference was formerly entertained in rotation by the four Maine colleges. Last year in Lewiston, however, the proportion of delegates from the preparatory schools was again so much larger than the delegates from the colleges that it was decided to separate the two bodies. Accordingly, the colleges held a conference at Lake Cobboscontee in the early fall, while the preparatory schools are just about to hold their convention at Fairfield. Each of the Maine colleges will send three men to act as leaders. Bowdoin's delegation will consist of Foster '16, Winter '16 and McCormick '18.

On February 17, William T. Sedgwick will speak upon the attitude, towards public health, of the academic college graduate as compared with that of the technical school graduate, at the Union. On March 17, John Clair Minot '96, will speak upon newspaper work.

The second term of the night school opened last Tuesday evening with eighteen pupils present.

## Club and Council

The Classical Club will hold its next regular meeting next Thursday evening, Feb. 17, at the residence of Professor Woodruff. Professor Bell will discuss the European war. A photograph of the club members was taken at Webber's yesterday noon.

At a meeting of the Athletic Council last Tuesday evening the following business was transacted. It was

Voted, to instruct the baseball manager to cancel the N. H. State game, the date of which New Hampshire seeks to postpone, and to approve a game with Portland New England League team April 22.

Voted, that the Manager of baseball be instructed to play only three games with Bates the coming season.

## The Other Colleges

Nearly seventy-five per cent. of the students in the colleges and universities of Great Britain have entered the army, 11,000 graduates and undergraduates of Cambridge University alone



having joined the colors according to the statement of John R. Mott, general secretary of the World's Christian Student Federation, in an appeal for aid from the American members of the society, in which he made startling quotations of the depletion in scholastic circles since the outbreak of the war.

"In Germany nearly, if not quite 50,000 university students are in the army and an even larger number of the older school boys," declared Mr. Mott. "When I left Paris within a year, where I had been in the habit of finding in other years as many as 18,000 male students in the Latin Quarter, it was with difficulty that I assembled a small group of four. The proportions of university men of Austria, Hungary, and Russia, who are in the fighting lines or in military training, are very nearly as large. From nearly every Canadian University fully one-half of the men have gone to join the army."—*The Michigan Daily*.

The University of Michigan now boasts a course in aeronauting and has purchased an aeroplane for "lab" purposes in the course.

## On the Campus

Next Tuesday is a holiday.

The Senior elections have been again postponed.

A meeting was held in the Union last evening to organize a rifle club at Bowdoin.

Stratton '16 and Sturgis '19 gave a violin and flute duet at chapel vespers Sunday.

No change can be made in any course from now on without the forfeiture of \$7.50.

Carter '16 and Wood '16 finished the work required for a degree and left at mid-years.

The scholarships are due to appear this week.

Skolfield cr-'17 has reentered college as a member of 1918.

The alumni of Androscoggin County will hold their annual banquet at the DeWitt in Lewiston on Thursday evening, Feb. 24.

At a meeting of the band, last Wednesday afternoon, Simonton '18 was elected leader in place of F. A. Haseltine '18, resigned.

New conference hours in Economics 2 have been assigned, and all the conferences will be held in room 6 of Memorial Hall.

The class presidents have appointed managers for the four hockey teams. They are Irving '16, Bartlett '17, C. Brown '18 and Burr '19.

Two Brunswick High relay men had a narrow escape from being hit by the shot Saturday when they ran across the shot-put territory.

Art Smith, Harvey Cohn and Mike Ryan, the track coaches at Maine, Colby and Bates, were interested spectators at the interscholastic meet.

Students wishing to be excused from chapel this semester must see Dean Sills at their earliest opportunity. Excuses do not hold over from last semester.

No student will be allowed to compete in the annual Sophomore-Freshman meet unless trained for three weeks previous to the date of the meet, under Coach Magee.

The pins of the new fraternity, Phi Theta Upsilon, are formed of the three Greek letters with a ruby in the center. The jewelled pins have the Theta outlined in opals or pearls.

Among those on the campus for the meet were Dr. William E. Sargent '78, principal of Hebron; W. Folsom Merrill '11, George E. Kern '12, coach of Portland High, Earle B. Tuttle '13, Arthur S. Merrill '14 and Francis McKenney '15.

The following men have left college: Atkins '18, Dumas '18, F. A. Haseltine '18, Morse '18, Nevens '18, J. Thomas '18, Dunbar '19, Lombard '19, Longren '19, Noyes '19, Robbins '19, Stowell '19, R. W. Whitcomb '19, Van Schoonhoven, special.

Professor Files will give an illustrated lecture at the Bowdoin Union tonight at 8 on the subject, "A Motor Trip Through England, Scotland and Northern France." The lecture is under the auspices of the Deutscher Verein and the public is cordially invited.

The pop concert of the Musical Clubs in the City Hall at Portland Friday evening was a decided success. Portland has many loyal Bowdoin alumni and they were out in large numbers. The faculty was represented well, and a good number of students accompanied the clubs to Portland.

## CALENDAR

### February

15. Lecture in Union by Professor Files.
16. Musical Clubs in Warren.
17. Musical Clubs in Rockland.  
Lecture in Union on Public Health.  
Track Club meeting.
18. Musical Clubs in Damariscotta.
21. Relay, Worcester Polytechnic Institute at Hartford.
22. Washington's Birthday.
24. Bradbury Prize Debates.
25. Bradbury Prize Debates.  
Bowdoin Interscholastic Debates.  
Delta Kappa Epsilon House Party.
26. Sophomore Hop.
27. President Fitch, College Preacher.

## Alumni Department

'54.—Dr. John A. Douglas, probably the oldest practicing physician in Essex County, died, Feb. 4, after a brief illness, at his home in Amesbury, Mass., at the age of eighty-seven years. Born at Waterford, Maine, he was graduated from Bowdoin College in the class of 1854, and from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, in 1861. He served as assistant surgeon in the Eleventh Massachusetts Regiment during the Civil War. In 1865 Dr. Douglas went to Amesbury, and had lived there ever since, enjoying more than ordinary success in the practice of his profession.

By the will of Dr. Douglas, allowed at Salem, Massachusetts, Feb. 7, \$5000 is given to the Anna Jacques Hospital in Newburyport, the income to be used to maintain a free bed for Amesbury patients; \$500 each to the Amesbury and the Salisbury Home for the Aged, the Amesbury Y. M. C. A., and the Market Street Baptist Church at Amesbury; and \$300 each to the Amesbury Public Library and the Library Association at Waterford, Maine.

Medic. '82.—Another gap in the ranks of the medical profession was caused by the death of Dr. Albert F. Murch on Jan. 27 at his home in Westbrook, Maine, at the age of sixty-nine years. Dr. Murch was born at Standish, Maine. His first medical knowledge was gained in the office of Dr. Seth Gordon of Portland, and was supplemented by a course in the Maine Medical School, from which he received the degree of M.D. in 1882. Following his graduation he served as house doctor in the Maine General Hospital before coming to Westbrook to establish a life practice. In 1893 and 1894 he was a member of the Maine State Legislature. He married Miss Kitty Chadbourne of Sebago Lake, who died a few years ago. He is survived by a sister and a brother. He was a member of Westbrook Lodge, U.O.G.C.

Medic. '86.—Dr. Alfred J. Noble, aged fifty-eight, superintendent of Kalamazoo State Hospital, died, Jan. 17, in a Detroit hotel, from a complication of grip and gastritis. Born in Waterville, Maine, Dr. Noble received his preparatory education in the schools of that city, and was graduated from Colby College in the class of 1883. Following his graduation, he entered the Maine Medical School, and was granted the degree of M.D. in 1886. From 1886 to 1888 he was assistant superintendent of the Worcester (Mass.) Insane Hospital. In 1889 he was promoted to the position of superintendent, in which

capacity he served till 1905, when he accepted a similar position in the Kalamazoo (Mich.) Insane Hospital. This position he filled till his death.

Dr. Noble was regarded as one of the foremost authorities in the country on insanity. Recently a commission from Boston went to Kalamazoo to secure his ideas on the proper way of building hospitals for the insane, and also on their proper care. Dr. Noble is survived by a wife.

'07.—The wedding of Charles R. Bennett and Miss Mary Dudley Freeman, Smith '08, both of Yarmouth, Me., took place Feb. 10 at Brighton, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Bennett sail on the 19th for Panama City where Mr. Bennett will take up his work as acting accountant of the International Banking Corporation. For the past ten months Mr. Bennett has been on furlough after six years in the Orient with the same corporation.

'10.—Warren E. Robinson, instructor in science and history in Boston Latin School, is prominent in the Massachusetts Militia. Mr. Robinson, who is an officer in Troop B, 1st Cavalry, M. U. M., was graduated among the first ten men in class at the Training School for the Massachusetts Militia, and, in addition, was orator of his class at the graduation ceremonies.

'10.—After March 1, 1916, Harold D. Archer will represent the Parke, Davis Co., chemical manufacturers and merchants, on the west coast of South America, with headquarters at Lima, Peru.

'10.—Earl L. Wing is practicing law in the office of his father, Herbert S. Wing, in Kingfield, Me.

'13.—Mr. and Mrs. George Libby of 16 Manthorne Road, West Roxbury, Mass., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Fanny Margaret, to William Riley Spinney, son of Mrs. George Trafton Whitaker of Unity, Me. Miss Libby, who is a sister of George Libby, Jr., Bowdoin 1903, is a graduate of Smith College, class of 1912. Mr. Spinney graduated from Bowdoin in 1913, and is a member of the Kappa Sigma fraternity.

'56-'14.—A number of Bowdoin men have taken an active part in the recent organization of the State of Maine Club in Hartford, Conn. Among them may be mentioned Rev. Dr. E. P. Parker '56, Dr. P. H. Ingalls '77, Hon. G. B. Chandler '90, J. E. Rhodes, 2d., '97, Dr. H. A. Martelle '01, Frank Day '05, S. G. Haley '07, V. R. Leavitt '13 and E. S. Thompson '14. Dr. Ingalls and Mr. Rhodes are on the committee to arrange for the first banquet of the club, and Mr. Chandler will be toastmaster at the banquet.

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## COLLEGE RIFLE CLUB FORMED

Monday evening, Feb. 14, a meeting was held of the men interested in forming a college rifle club. Over thirty attended and a permanent organization was formed by the adoption of the by-laws prescribed by the National Association. Schlosberg '18 was elected president and Professor Langley secretary and treasurer. Sayward '16 was chosen executive officer pro tem. As it is so late in the season, it was decided not to attempt any intercollegiate competition this winter but to lay plans for another year. The National Rifle Association will lend rifles and furnish 120 rounds of ammunition to each man. Outdoor work can be done on the state range here in Brunswick, and for indoor work, it is planned to use the old baseball cage in the attic of Memorial Hall. It is likely that no definite work will be done until spring. Several men in college have had previous experience in rifle clubs and have qualified as marksmen.

The following are the charter members: Ireland '16, Pettingill '16, Irving '16, Hawes '16, Sayward '16, Burleigh '17, Gregory '17, Kent '17, Noyes '17, Philbrick '17, MacMullin '18, MacIntosh '18, Prosser '18, Wass '18, Brierley '18, Curran '18, Davison '18, A. S. Gray '18, Stanley '18, Freeman '18, Clark '18, Howard '18, Hurlin '18, Hamlin '18, Schlosberg '18, C. S. Smith '18, Skolfield '18 and Johnson '18.

## RELAY SHIELD IN TROPHY ROOM

The shield won at the B.A.A. Meet by the relay team has been placed in the trophy case of the Gymnasium. On the dull green background are silver and bronze figures, and it has the inscription: Maine Intra-College Indoor Relay Championship. Boston Athletic Ass'n Invitation Games Feb. 5, 1916. The name of the winner will not be engraved upon it until later.

## PROFESSOR FILES LECTURES IN UNION

Professor Files gave an illustrated lecture in the Union last Tuesday evening on the subject, "An Automobile Trip Through England, Scotland, and Northern France." Starting at Liverpool, he took his audience through the lake region of England, into Scotland, to the home of Burns, the moors and the lakes, then across the

channel to France, traveling through the chateau region of that country. Professor Files spoke enthusiastically of the roads in Europe. The illustrations were from pictures taken by members of the party. The lecture was under the auspices of the Deutscher Verein.

## SUMMER MILITARY CAMP FOR COLLEGE MEN AT PLATTSBURG IN JULY

The Government has just announced the schedule for the Military Training Camps which are to be held next summer. The Junior Division which comprises undergraduates in colleges and universities, will hold its camp from July 5 to Aug. 8. This will be the division for Bowdoin men to enter who wish to take advantage of the recent faculty ruling by which college credit is given those men who attend the camps. Detailed information regarding the camps is contained in bulletins issued from Headquarters of the Eastern Department and may be obtained by application to "The Officer in Charge," Military Training Camps, Governor's Island, N. Y., for the bulletin of the Northern Division at Plattsburg.

## SOPHOMORE HOP SATURDAY

The Sophomore Hop will be held in the Gymnasium Saturday, Feb. 26, commencing at 6:30. Lovell's orchestra will furnish music for an order of twenty-two dances. The patronesses are to be: Mrs. Charles C. Hutchins, Mrs. Frank N. Whittier, Mrs. George T. Files, Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell, Mrs. Charles T. Burnett, Mrs. Roscoe J. Ham, Mrs. Frederick W. Brown, Mrs. Manton Copeland, Mrs. Paul Nixon, Mrs. William H. Davis, Mrs. Alfred O. Gross, and Mrs. Lee D. McClean.

## DEBATING TRIALS THURSDAY

The final trials for the twelve candidates already selected for the debating team will consist of ten-minute speeches. Each candidate will be allowed to speak once, on any aspect of the subject of national defense. These trials, which will be open to the public, will be held in Memorial Hall on Thursday evening, beginning at 8.00. The judges will be Professor Mitchell, G. Allen Howe, Esq., Mr. Meserve, Mr. Van Cleve and Professor Davis. Six principles and two alter-



nates will be selected for the teams to debate Hamilton and Wesleyan on March 23.

The Debating Council met last Wednesday and decided that the subject for the Inter-collegiate debates should be changed to some other subject to be agreed upon by Wesleyan and Hamilton. This action is due to the feeling that the proposed subject is now one sided and academic owing to Secretary Garrison's recent resignation.

#### McELWEE REFUSES OFFER

Owing to the opposition of the Athletic Council, McElwee '16, captain of the baseball team, has refused an offer to go south with the Philadelphia Americans for spring training this year. The Council refused to allow McElwee to participate in college baseball next spring if he should take the training trip with Connie Mack. Although he would be under no contract with the Philadelphia team, it was thought that by a strict interpretation of the rules, he would be debarred from amateur standing.

#### INTERCLASS HOCKEY

##### SENIORS BEAT JUNIORS

Monday afternoon, Feb. 14, the Seniors defeated the Juniors 5-4 in the second inter-class hockey game, on the college rink. The line-ups:

<b>SENIORS</b>	<b>JUNIORS</b>
Littlefield, f	f, Bartlett
Irving, c	c, Bradford
Kelley, f	f, Little
Weatherill, p	p, Keene
Woodman, g	g, Phillips

Goals: Littlefield (3), Irving (2), Little (2), Bartlett (1), Bradford (1).

Referee: Burr '19.

Timer: Nute '17.

1916-1919

The Seniors won their second game in the inter-class hockey series by defeating the Freshmen 6-5 Tuesday afternoon. The game was hotly contested throughout, not being won until L. Irving made the winning goal for the Seniors after fifteen minutes of over-time play. The lineup:

<b>1916</b>	<b>1919</b>
Yenetchi, c	c, R. Irving
Littlefield, f	f, Burr
Kelley, f	f, McCarthy
L. Irving, cp	cp, MacIninch
Little, p	p, McCulloch
Woodman, g	g, Sproul

Goals: Yenetchi 3, MacIninch 3, L. Irving 2, Burr 2, Kelley.

Referee: Chapman '17.

Timer: Nute '17.

#### JUNIORS TRIM SOPHOMORES

The Juniors defeated the Sophomores 3 - 0 in the fourth inter-class hockey game on the college rink last Wednesday. The lineups were as follows:—

<b>1917</b>	<b>1918</b>
Bradford, c	c, Stearns
Bartlett, f	f, Sloggett
Little, f	f, Clark
Keene, p	p, Hanson
Sproul, g	g, Brown

Goals: Bartlett 2, Little 1.

Referee: McCulloch '19.

Timer: Nute '17.

#### CLASS STANDING

The Seniors now lead in the averages, having won both their games. The standing is as follows to date:

	Won	Lost	Per Cent.
Seniors	2	0	1.000
Freshmen	1	1	.500
Juniors	1	2	.333
Sophomores	0	1	.000

#### THE BLANKET TAX

With the coming of the fourth year of the blanket tax era in our college, the last memories of the begging, or subscription system were obliterated. Few of us really know of the financial difficulties of the managers under the old system, or of the impatience of the student body with the ever-present plea for money. The whole burden was then borne by a few. This was unjust and the present system was installed to equalize the load, and to establish a permanent, dependable income.

As the evils of the old system have been forgotten a certain indifference to the new tax has grown. Though the collections have not fallen off in any one year, yet they have not increased in proportion to the increase of the student-body. At the same time collection has become more difficult. A great many men of the college seem to await a personal invitation from the collectors before they can bring themselves to part with their seven-fifties. Once they have paid they look over the ticket eagerly and count up the number of contests to which they are given admission. Then they calculate the price of each admission, and generally remark that it would be cheaper to pay the general admission to the games. They feel that as a season ticket the blanket tax ticket is exorbitant in price. They forget that the blanket tax is an assessment to provide for our college activities; that without this assessment system they would not only be

asked to pay toward the support of each separate activity, but would also be required to pay admission to all games; that they are paying the tax, not to get something, but to give; and that only on the basis of every man giving his share can the managers afford to give in return. The whole system is based on the assumption that every man will recognize it his individual duty to meet the assessment, otherwise our blanket tax will never succeed.

There has been a marked falling off in payments this semester. Thus far only 304 have arranged for payment of the tax. The others have shirked their responsibility. Below is a list, correct to date, showing the payment of the tax by fraternity groups:

	No. Paid	No. of Members	Per Cent. Paid
Beta Theta Pi	31	31	1.000
Kappa Sigma	35	36	.972
Delta Kappa Epsilon	37	39	.948
Delta Upsilon	37	39	.948
Zeta Psi	31	33	.939
Theta Delta Chi	23	27	.851
Alpha Delta Phi	22	28	.785
Psi Upsilon	23	30	.766
Beta Chi	15	22	.681
Non-Fraternity	27	45	.600
Phi Theta Upsilon	23	40	.575

H. H. FOSTER,  
*Assistant Treasurer.*

#### REPORT OF BASEBALL MANAGER

Season 1914-1915.

##### RECEIPTS

Cash balance from previous manager	\$ 19 92
Blanket Tax appropriation	1,100 00
Harvard guarantee	125 00
Receipts, Portland (N. E. League) game	113 63
Receipts, Lewiston (N. E. League) game	74 80
Trinity guarantee	80 00
Wesleyan guarantee	80 00
Receipts, Bates game (May 4)	38 59
Tufts game	60 55
Colby guarantee (May 8)	50 00
Maine gate (May 10)	95 95
Colby gate (May 12)	45 15
Tufts rain guarantee	42 50
Maine gate (May 19)	34 30
New Hampshire gate	11 55
Colby rain guarantee (May 26)	25 00
Maine guarantee (May 29)	75 00
Bates gate (½ net) May 31	140 52
Colby guarantee (June 1)	50 00
Ivy game receipts	313 00

Alumni game	101 50
Baseball supplies	7 15
Total	\$2,684 11

##### EXPENDITURES

Deficit from previous season	\$ 199 95
Coach—salary and expenses	641 11
Umpires	89 00
Harvard trip	135 00
Spring trip	296 19
*Portland trip	28 63
*Lewiston trip	17 80
Bates trip (May 4)	28 26
Tufts guarantee	85 00
Tufts game—10% gate	10 22
Colby trip (May 8)	56 00
Maine guarantee (May 10)	75 00
Maine game—grandstand and 10% gate	55 94
Colby guarantee (May 12)	50 00
Colby game—10% gate	10 50
Tufts trip	87 86
Maine guarantee (May 19)	75 00
Maine game—10% gate	7 00
New Hampshire guarantee	85 00
New Hampshire game—10% gate	4 65
Colby trip (May 26)	38 81
Maine trip (May 29)	79 82
Bates trip (May 31)	44 30
Colby trip (June 1)	47 56
Bates—½ Ivy game receipts	92 63
Ivy game—grandstand and 10% gate	112 60
Mileage	45 00
L. S. McElwee—supplies	14 00
Edwards & Walker—supplies	42 66
F. W. Chandler—supplies	76 85
Typewriter rental	12 50
Miscellaneous	39 27
Total	\$2,684 11

\*Exclusive of mileage.

##### BILLS PAYABLE

F. W. Chandler	\$ 14 40
A. G. Spalding Company	78 21
Horace Partridge Company	269 80
Total	\$ 362 41
Total present deficit	\$ 362 41
Deficit, season 1914	\$ 180 03
Deficit, season 1915	\$ 182 38

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. DUNN.

Audited and found correct.

BARRETT POTTER,

*Auditor.*

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## College Students and Current Events

The ORIENT recently printed a letter from Dean Sills giving the somewhat unsatisfactory result of an examination on contemporary history given a class in Latin. The *New York Times* and other papers have quoted the letter, and finally it reached the columns of such reviews as the *Literary Digest* and the *Independent*. Editorial writers have united in lamenting the decadence of the American youth who does not know the location of Saloniki or the name of the King of Italy. Although we realize the value of a reasonable familiarity with current events, we cannot wholly blame the luckless undergraduate if he is not primed with information concerning matters that now occupy the front page.

If a student, with a fair amount of work in his regular college courses, should start at any time

to study present day history, he would be overwhelmed by the avalanche of new names and references he would meet in every paper. His confusion would be aggravated by the contradictory reports given out by special correspondents, news agencies and official bureaus. Small wonder that he becomes discouraged and resolves to read up on the war in some brief volume published after the treaty of peace has been signed. Small wonder that he pays more attention to the sporting pages than to the editorial columns.

There is only one way in which college undergraduates can be made to take an interest in current events. That is the establishment of courses in present day happenings, with the leading newspapers and reviews for text-books. Here at Bowdoin, some history courses give a brief summary of present day affairs, but the time devoted to this is too brief. A semester, or even a whole year, would not be too long for a study of the world during the past decade or so. If such a course were established here,—and in many colleges a study of present day problems forms a part of the regular curriculum,—Bowdoin students would seize the opportunity to begin, under proper conditions, a study of the questions of today.

## The Future of the Bowdoin Union

The foundation of a local fraternity by the former members of the Bowdoin Club again opens for discussion the question of the Bowdoin Club. If we may judge by the conversation of those who were once members of the Bowdoin Club, that organization has never been a distinct success. Last year it was weakened by the secession of some twenty of its members who formed a local society. From time to time its individual members have left to become affiliated with the national fraternities. There is no reason for thinking that the Bowdoin Club could ever be a strong organization. It might drift along as a home for non-fraternity men, but it would always be subject to the withdrawal of its members, just as it has been since its foundation. For the present semester, the new fraternity has the use of the club house. Next year the college may continue the experiment of the club, but the recurrence of the present condition,—a Bowdoin Club with no members and no one desirable of membership,—should be enough to convince the most ardent champion of group life that the Bowdoin Club is a failure. The college cannot maintain a gold spoon for every new fraternity that may open its mouth.



### The Senior Election

The election of officers of the Senior class, postponed many times, is scheduled for Wednesday evening. We hope that this election will be free from that element of petty politics that has characterized so many of our elections during the past few years. An office gained through combinations and agreements is worthless to individual or to fraternity, however strongly the shibboleth of fraternity loyalty and ambition may be sound. We cannot hope to do away with fraternity politics by the creation of one machine to oppose another; we can remove politics only through a frank realization that trading of votes does little but stamp the offenders as the ward heelers of campus elections. If any organization is to lead the way in honest elections, surely it is the Senior class, whose members are supposedly of more mature judgment than under classmen. "Fair play and may the best man win."

### A Football Coach

We are told that efforts are being made to obtain a football coach for next fall. We hope so. The supply of coaches who can turn the material that Bowdoin has into the kind of team we want is limited and the demand is great. We hope that Bowdoin will secure her coach before the supply is exhausted.

### COMMUNICATION

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

MY DEAR SIR:—As President of the General Alumni Association. I have been requested to bring to the attention of the alumni the propriety of making provision for a suitable memorial to General Hubbard. Many of us I know feel that the alumni would be glad to make provision spontaneously for a durable monument that should be placed either in Hubbard Hall or in Memorial Hall, to testify to the affectionate regard and the deep sense of gratitude which every alumnus of Bowdoin feels for its most generous benefactor and its most loyal friend.

The matter will be brought up at the meeting of the General Alumni Association in June, and in the meantime it is hoped that suggestions may be made by interested alumni either in the columns of the ORIENT or elsewhere. It has seemed to many more fitting that this project should be taken in hand by the alumni than by the college in its corporate capacity.

Very truly yours,

KENNETH C. M. SILLS.

### FRESHMEN ELECT BANQUET COMMITTEE

At the meeting of the Freshman Class, Feb. 14,

Coach Magee and Captain Leadbetter spoke upon the coming Freshman-Sophomore track meet. Stephen I. Perkins was elected class track manager. Upon a ballot to decide whether or not the Freshman banquet should be "wet," the "drys" won by a vote of 60 to 23. A banquet committee, made up of one man from each fraternity and one from the non-fraternity men, was elected as follows: Alpha Delta Phi, D. McDonald; Beta Chi, R. A. Stevens, Jr.; Beta Theta Pi, J. H. Kern; Delta Kappa Epsilon, W. C. Merrill; Delta Upsilon, H. S. Newell; Kappa Sigma, E. B. Finn; Phi Theta Upsilon, E. M. Gray; Psi Upsilon, G. S. Hargraves; Theta Delta Chi, L. G. Barton; Zeta Psi, M. F. Sproul; non-fraternity, C. E. Decker.

### TRACK NOTES

The relay team ran Worcester Polytechnic Institute last night at the Hartford, Conn., Armory Games. The following men made the trip: Captain Crosby '17, Turner '19, Pierce '17, Simon-ton '18, Pirnie '18, and Ireland '16. The race was on a flat track, each man running a quarter mile without spikes. The final trials for the year were held Friday afternoon. As the Maine management has made no reply to Bowdoin's challenge, this race is the last of the season and the men have broken training. The relay picture will be taken Wednesday.

Trainer Magee talked to the Freshmen and Sophomores last week on the advantages of track work. Many men have come out for the Freshman-Sophomore meet to be held March 3-4, and much interest is being shown. Both sides are confident of victory and are working hard.

All track men should report Tuesday afternoon for training for the inter-class meet. Training is absolutely necessary in order to compete and Trainer Magee wishes to have a large squad out for this meet.

### A SUGGESTED CHANGE IN BOWDOIN TEA

An agitation has been started to have the next College Tea, now planned for Feb. 26, take place in the Union instead of in Hubbard Hall as has been the custom for some years. Those most interested in the Union are desirous that both students and faculty should become familiar with the possibilities of the place for enhancing the pleasure of a social afternoon. The cheery warmth of the great fireplace and the restful design and finish of the rooms cannot help making a strong appeal for the place. And then with the Victrola, a little dancing the latter part of the afternoon could be enjoyed by the students and their guests for the Sophomore Hop.

## WAR DEPARTMENT OFFER

The following is an abstract of the War Department memorandum on the detail of officers of the Army as Professors of Military Science and Tactics at educational institutions, and the issue of arms and equipments thereto.

1. The following requirements are necessary to be fulfilled by institutions before the detail of an army officer can be made and arms and certain ordnance equipment issued:

*Requirements.*—(a) The application for the detail of an officer as professor of military science and tactics must be made by the authorities of an established military institution, seminary, academy, college or university within the United States.

(b) It must have a capacity to educate at one and the same time not less than 150 male students.

(c) The application must be accompanied by the last printed catalogue and a certificate showing the number of male students, the number of students in daily attendance at the time of application, the number of students over 15 years of age, the capacity in buildings, apparatus and the number of instructors. It must also show the grade of the institution and whether or not it is a land-grant institution, and the degrees it confers.

(d) The authorities of the institution must assure the War Department that military instruction shall be compulsory for all physically qualified students for a period of at least two years and for not less than 84 hours per academic year.

(e) The authorities must agree to uniform the students, at other than Government expense, in neat, well-fitting uniforms of a pattern and style now in vogue at other institutions of the same class and kind.

(f) That the officer so detailed shall be a member of the faculty with the same privileges as those granted the heads of other departments of the institution.

(g) That the officer so detailed will be supported by the authorities in maintaining a high standard of military discipline.

(h) That the course and method of training will be as prescribed by the War Department and the details of same left in the hands of the officer so detailed. A suitable class room should be provided.

2. If these requirements can be fulfilled by the institution, the War Department can grant the following:

(a) Detail an officer from the active list of the army, to institutions classed as MC and C, where the number of male students is 100 or over, and to class M and SM institutions, where the number of such students is 150.

Class MC.—Colleges and universities (including land-grant institutions) where the curriculum is sufficiently advanced to carry with it a degree, where the students are habitually in uniform, where the average age of the students on graduation is not less than 21 years, where military discipline is constantly maintained, and where one of the leading objects is the development of the student by means of military drill and by regulating his daily conduct according to the principles of military discipline.

Class M.—Essentially military institutions where the curriculum is not sufficiently advanced to carry with it a degree or where the average age of the students on graduation is less than 21 years.

Class C.—Colleges and universities (including land-grant institutions) not essentially military, where the curriculum is sufficiently advanced to carry with it a degree, and where the average age of the students on graduation is not less than 21 years.

Class SM.—Institutions not included in any of the classes mentioned above.

(b) Detail an officer from the retired list of the army whose pay and allowances will be paid by the Government, provided the number of students over 15 years of age exceeds 75. The total number of active and retired officers who can be so detailed is by law limited to 100.

(c) Detail a retired officer to any institution where the number of male students is less than 75, provided the institution will pay the officer's commutation. The number of officers provided for this class of details is unlimited.

The annual commutation for a first lieutenant is about \$550, for a captain about \$710, for a major about \$882.

(d) Within the limitations prescribed by "a," "b" and "c," a college may have detailed thereat an active officer or a retired officer; a preparatory school other than a public high school an officer from the active list, a retired officer on active pay status or a retired officer; a high school, a retired officer only.

(e) Upon the issue of the order detailing the officer for duty as professor of military science and tactics at the institution, arms and equipment can be issued in accordance with the procedure laid down in paragraphs 39 and 49, inclusive, General Orders, No. 70, War Department, 1913.

(f) The purchase of articles of clothing and publications in such quantities as are approved by the Secretary of War can be made. Each application will be considered separately.

(g) The institution will be inspected annually by General Staff officers with the view of stand-

ardizing the course of instruction and correcting any deficiencies in methods, manner of instruction and training, that might exist.

3. Before issuing any arms and equipment the law requires that a bond twice the value of the ordnance and ordnance stores issued be filed with the Chief of Ordnance, U. S. Army.

All information relative to the purchase of ordnance and ordnance stores or replacing those damaged by fair wear and tear, or carelessness on the part of members of the cadet corps, and accounting for the property of the Government in the hands of the college or school authorities, will be found in paragraphs 50 to 59, inclusive, General Orders, No. 70, War Department, 1913.

A suitable place for the safe keeping of the arms and equipment, as well as adequate arrangements for their care and preservation, must be provided. Where a retired officer is detailed under the act approved April 21, 1904, the approval of the governor of the state is necessary before submitting any application for arms and equipment.

4. A retired officer can be detailed at any educational institution provided the institution will pay the officer's commutation.

By order of the Secretary of War,

H. L. SCOTT,

*Major General, Chief of Staff.*

Official:

H. P. McCain,

*The Adjutant General.*

#### REVIEW OF REVIEWS SCHOLARSHIPS

College men who earn a large part of their college expenses will be interested again this year in the free cash scholarships offered by the *Review of Reviews* to self-supporting students. During the past seven years over 1000 students have won free cash scholarships worth \$100 to \$1000 apiece.

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#### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Winter '16, McConaughy '17 and MacCormick '18 were delegates representing Bowdoin at the first annual secondary school conference held at Fairfield, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 18, 19 and 20.

Preparations are being made to raise money to send to some suitably directed work among the French emergency hospitals for the wounded. These contributions will take the place of those in previous years for the work of A. S. Hiwale '09 in Satara, India.

On Thursday, Feb. 24, Dr. Campbell of the Springfield Training School will meet a group of eight or ten interested men to present to them the curriculum of the Springfield institution and the openings for college graduates in Y. M. C. A. work.

Early in March there are to be deputations to Fryeburg Academy and to Falmouth Foreside. Tentative inquiries for deputations have come in from a number of preparatory schools near Bowdoin, including Kent's Hill, Hebron and Maine Central Institute.

#### The Other Colleges

The University of Washington will have a Greek Theatre like that of California, if the plans of Dean A. S. Haggett are realized. He has presented a plan to President Susallo of the university for the construction of an amphitheatre resembling the Greek Theatre. The old wooden amphitheatre a relic of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition, is to be torn down, as it is in a state of ruin. Donations will be sought, to cover the cost of construction. It is estimated that \$500,000 will be needed.

#### With the Faculty

Dean Sills will represent the college at the dinner of the Androscoggin County alumni at Lewiston, next Thursday evening.

Professor Langley attended the Kappa Sigma alumni banquet in Portland last Tuesday.

Dr. Whittier addressed the Portland Bowdoin Club, at their dinner, Thursday, Feb. 17.

Professor Woodruff entertained the Classical Club last Thursday evening. Professor Bell was the principal speaker.

Professor Davis has been ill at his home.



## On the Campus

Partridge '11 and Boardman *ex-'16* were on the campus last week.

There will be a meeting of the Track Club next Thursday evening.

The ORIENT Board had its picture taken at Webber's Tuesday noon.

The band will have its picture taken at Webber's studio tomorrow afternoon at one o'clock.

Pike '17 and Sewall *ex-'17* have left for the war. They intend to drive motor ambulances in the French Army.

It has been announced by the Bowdoin Club of Portland that about two hundred dollars was made at the Pop Concert in City Hall recently.

Scholarships were announced Friday. Of 223 applications, 155 were satisfied immediately, while others were placed on a reserve list. Over \$12,000 was thus given out.

Students wishing to have invitations for the college tea sent to their friends will please leave the names together with their own cards, with Miss Boardman at the Cataloguing Room in the Library.

The Deutscher Verein picture will be taken at Webber's, Thursday afternoon. At the last meeting of the Deutscher Verein, an official fob was selected. Members desiring these fobs must apply to Fobes '17, secretary.

Owing to arrangements made after the last ORIENT went to press, the lecture by William T. Sedgwick, to have been given last Tuesday evening at the Union, has been postponed. Further notice of this lecture will be given later.

The following men have registered for the second semester: in 1916, R. E. G. Bailey, *ex-'08*; in 1917, George Greeley, *ex-'16*; in 1918, S. K. Skolfield, *ex-'17*; special students, Percy T. Brown of Portland, and Horace Burrough of Baltimore, Md.

## Resolutions

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Brunswick, Maine, January 30, 1916.

From the West, we learn with regret that Brother William Augustus Deering of the class of 1875 has passed into the Omega. Brother Deering was one of those who re-established the charge after the Civil War had called away all its active members, and we feel deeply indebted to that little band. For many years he was a teacher, active in many parts of the country and his last years were spent in business. He is the

fourth of our graduates who died within a single week, and we, the members of Eta extend our sympathy to those bereaved.

For the charge:

HENRY GERARD WOOD,

EARLE WARREN COOK,

ROBERT GREENHALGH ALBION.

## GENERAL HUBBARD

Extract from minutes of annual meeting of Peary Arctic Club, Jan. 10, 1916.

The Peary Arctic Club records with profound sorrow the death in New York, May 22, 1915, of General Thomas H. Hubbard, its second president. Words are inadequate to measure the value of his service to the Club. Called to its leadership at a critical juncture he sustained and directed its work with faith, patience, liberality and without fear or compromise defended its success. Motives and ideals like those which inspired him, a young soldier of the Union, years before, animated him in the Arctic quest and the attainment of the Pole was to him another glory for the flag he followed and the country he loved. The Club honors Gen. Hubbard as an American patriot, not less than discoverer, of whom, as of old, it may be truly said:

The righteous man of purpose fixed and strong

Scorns the depraved commands

Of angry Faction clamoring for wrong,

Nor fears the Despot's frown. Not Auster's roar

Whitening the restless wave on Adria's shore,

Not the red thunder hurled

From Jove's avenging hands

Can shake his solid will. Unmoved he stands

Erect amid the ruins of a world.

To the family of General Hubbard each member of the Club offers his sincere, personal sympathy.

## CALENDAR

February

24. 8.00, Debating Trials, Memorial Hall.

Meeting Androscoggin Alumni.

Track Club Meeting.

Deutscher Verein Picture.

25. Bowdoin Interscholastic Debates.

Delta Kappa Epsilon House Party.

26. Sophomore Hop.

First College Tea.

27. President Fitch, College Preacher.

March

3-4. Freshman-Sophomore Track Meet.

17. Indoor Interclass Meet.

Lecture on Journalism, J. C. Minot '96, in the Union.

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## PRESIDENT HYDE AT YALE

President Hyde is at Yale University this week and next until March 8. He received the appointment last year as Lyman Beecher lecturer and is now giving before the Yale School of Religion the series of lectures on "The Gospel of Good Will as Revealed in Contemporary Scriptures." This series is that given to the class in Philosophy 1 last semester.

## RELAY TEAM WINS AGAIN

The relay team finished its season Monday night, Feb. 21, by defeating Worcester Polytechnic Institute at the Naval Militia Games, held in the Naval Armory at Hartford, Conn. The men who ran for Bowdoin were Simonton, Crosby, Turner and Ireland; for Worcester, Ricker, Cleveland, Greene and Knowlton. The time was 3 minutes, 39.2-5 seconds. Better time would undoubtedly have been made had the competition been keener, as Bowdoin won by a 50 yard margin. This race ends the fourth consecutive season in which Bowdoin has not lost a relay race.

## DEBATING TRIALS HELD

The final trials for the intercollegiate debating team were held last Thursday evening in Memorial Hall. Twelve candidates competed and the following six men were successful: Chapman '17, Moran '17, Jacob '18, Bowdoin '17, Lane '17, Hescock '16. Churchill '16 and Coburn '19 were selected as alternates.

## TRACK MANAGERS MEET

A meeting of the track managers of the four Maine colleges was held at Waterville last Saturday. Officers of the M. I. A. A. were elected as follows: President, C. R. Stone of Bates; vice-president, A. C. Little of Colby; secretary, Weston B. Haskell of Maine; treasurer, L. H. Marston of Bowdoin. Officials for the State meet next May were also chosen. They are: Grand marshal, Chase of Bowdoin; chief scorer, Willard of Colby; assistant scorer, Merrill of Bates; announcer, Philbrook of Maine. The starter and other officials were not named, but it was practically decided that B. B. Osthus of Boston would

be clerk of course. The managers voted that all future B. A. A. relay races be run under Maine Intercollegiate rules. An amendment to the constitution was passed, submitted by Maine, that the location of the meet rotate among the four colleges with the approval of the executive council.

The managers will hold another meeting in Lewiston next month to arrange for other matters connected with the meet.

## ATHLETIC COUNCIL MEETING

At the last meeting of the Athletic Council, it was voted to approve the changing of the Tech. meet from Saturday, May 6, to the afternoon of May 5. A relay letter was awarded to Ireland '16. The following baseball games for the second team were approved: May 10, Hebron Academy at Hebron; May 15, Bates 2nd at Lewiston. The varsity baseball team will play the Portland (Eastern League) team, April 22.

## DEKE HOUSE PARTY

The Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity held its annual house party and reception at its chapter house last Friday afternoon and evening. In the receiving line at the reception were: President Hyde, Mrs. F. N. Whittier, Mrs. W. O. Fuller of Rockland, Mrs. Forrest Goodwin of Skowhegan, and Mrs. J. C. Minot of Watertown, Mass. Mrs. H. C. Baxter and Mrs. G. M. Elliott poured. The house was beautifully decorated with evergreens, potted plants and cut flowers. The committee in charge of the decorating consisted of R. R. Drummond, N. C. Little and C. D. Brown. Lovell's orchestra furnished the music.

In the evening dancing began at eight o'clock, and an order of twenty-four dances was enjoyed. The dance orders were of India leather with the D. K. E. coat-of-arms embossed upon them. The orders of the ladies were of white leather, and those of the gentlemen of brown mission leather. Lovell's orchestra furnished music for the dancing, and Pooler, of Portland, catered. The patronesses were: Mrs. W. O. Fuller of Rockland, Mrs. Hartley C. Baxter of Brunswick, Mrs. Forrest Goodwin of Skowhegan, Mrs. J. C. Minot of Watertown, Mass., and Mrs. Charles Daniels of Chestnut Hill, Mass. The guests were: The

Misses Bertha Laithwaite, Marie Hieber, Marion Starbird and Katherine Lewis of Portland, Marguerite Allen and Laura Jones of Bangor, Muriel Jones, Dorothy Chaplin and Arabella Clark of Cambridge, Mass., Dorothy Chamberlain and Dorothy Allen of Springfield, Mass., Hazel Giles and Christina Doyle of Ellsworth, Doris Cochran and Helen Foss of Northampton, Elizabeth Scott of Pawtucket, R. I., Mary Wardwell of Salem, Mass., Alice Zepfler of Needham, Mass., Marion Ellinwood of Augusta, Beatrice Baldrey of Medford, Mass., Rose Daniels of Chestnut Hill, Mass., Adelaide Clough of Woonsocket, R. I., Mary Elliott of Brunswick, Winifred Cunningham of Boston, Mass., Margaret Jordan of Auburn, Helen Lee Swormstedt of Washington, D. C., Viola Kneeland of West Roxbury, Mass.

#### SOPHOMORE HOP

About seventy-five couples attended the Sophomore hop last Saturday evening, in the gymnasium. The room was decorated with palms and a large Bowdoin banner was placed over the center of the gallery, flanked on either side by potted plants set on the gallery railing. The fraternities had their booths tastefully decorated, the fraternity colors being conspicuous in each case.

The committee in charge was composed of the following Sophomores: Pendleton, chairman, Babbitt, Edwards, Freese, J. E. Gray and Mooers. Lovell's Orchestra played for an order of twenty-two dances and Given of Brunswick catered.

The patronesses of the evening were Mrs. Charles C. Hutchins, Mrs. Frank N. Whittier, Mrs. George T. Files, Mrs. Wilmot B. Mitchell, Mrs. Charles T. Burnett, Mrs. Roscoe J. Ham, Mrs. Frederic W. Brown, Mrs. Manton Copeland, Mrs. Paul Nixon, Mrs. William Hawley Davis, Mrs. Alfred O. Gross and Mrs. Lee D. McClean.

Among the young ladies present were the Misses Ruth Morrill, Marie Haines, Janet Marriener, Marie Fogg, Helen Johnson, Dorothy Avery, Aida Henry, May Miller, Margaret Haines, Virginia Hamilton, Elizabeth Connors, Beth Neal, Lucy Dean, Gertrude Albion, Marguerite Burr, Jessie Merrill, Frances Foss, Marie Hieber, Marion Starbird, Bertha Dennison and Katherine Lewis of Portland, Ruth Nearing, Helen Mitchell, Mary Elliott, Lorette Lapointe, Ellen Baxter, Isabel Palmer, Marguerite Hutchins and Marjorie Strout of Brunswick, Miriam Kimball, Millicent Clifford, Pauline Hatch, Edith Hopkins and Isabel Olm of Bath, Dorothy Bird and Ida Wotten of Rockland, Laura Jones and Marguerite Allen of Bangor, Elizabeth Scott of Pawtucket, R. I., Dorothy Chamberlain, Margaret Beebe and Dor-

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#### FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE MEET

The Freshman-Sophomore track meet will be held in the Hyde Athletic Building Friday March 10. Each class will have one side of the building for a cheering section and the contestants will carry the class colors while the band will furnish music for the occasion. The final trials will be held this week to determine what events each man shall compete in. As this is the first meet of its kind in college, a record will be established in every event. Prizes will be awarded for first, second and third places. The meet should prove to be quite close as while the Sophomores have a few good men who are reasonably sure of first places, the Freshmen have the larger squad out and will undoubtedly pick up many seconds and thirds. Both classes are showing much interest in the meet and feeling will undoubtedly run high on the side lines. The 36-pound shot put and the discus throwing will take place in the afternoon, thus avoiding possible accidents.

#### FRESHMEN RUN BATES 1919

Trials for the Freshman relay with the Bates Freshmen will be held this week. With a varsity man for a nucleus, Bowdoin should make a good showing. The race will be held at Lewiston, Tuesday, March 7.

The following Freshmen have reported to Coach Magee as candidates for the team: Brawn, Coburn, Cole, P. E. Doherty, Ewer, Foulke, Ham, Hemenway, Higgins, Hutchinson, R. Irving, McPherson, Minot, Mitchell, Turner, Vance, White, MacIninch, Stephens.



## THE JANUARY QUILL

Not as plump as a partridge—this is the first impression that the January *Quill*, with only nineteen pages of reading matter, makes upon the reader; but when carved with the paper cutter, it presents a palatable variety, dark meat and white, wings and drumsticks. Three bits of verse in three different moods, a story, an essay, and a playlet, besides the *Editor's Easy Chair*, furnish a variety sufficient for any literary epicure.

*The Dreamer* does not deal with a new thought. The man who does and the man who dreams have often misunderstood and misinterpreted each other; and poet, essayist, and story-teller have not been slow to note this obtuseness and depict the many resulting tragedies. Nevertheless, the writer of this sonnet has phrased his lines with a sincerity, melody, and firmness somewhat rare in college verse. The poem deserves the place in the *Quill* the editor has given it.

*Lexia Spins a Tale* has some pleasing concrete touches and it is more or less fanciful and ingenious. It is a good yarn with which to amuse a ten-year-old youngster accustomed to the absurdities of "Fatty and the Ogre" or "Alice in Wonderland." For grown-ups, however, the story would be better if it kept to the end an air of probability. Is there any point, except to present a laughable picture, in Magooon's trying to swim ashore when he has a good boat under him? Does not the Dido-like Princess *sob* over-loud for her departing Aeneas? All this and more lets the cat out of the bag too soon. It precludes the O. Henry ending for which the author is apparently striving.

The wording of the story, too, is hardly up to the *Quill* standard. It is, to use the phrasing of the old-fashioned rhetorics, repetitious and cacophonous. To say nothing of the oft-recurring "surely" and "after all," "usually exceptionally quick motioned people" is not grateful to the ear, and "never-to-be-excluded ear-rings" and "month-against-mouth combat" are not happy phrases.

R. L. A., '19 has shown good courage in trying one of the most difficult forms of verse. Though his diction is somewhat prosaic, for the most part it rings true. This sonnet is weak, however, just where the great sonnets are strongest—at the very end. "She" certainly would have been tremendously disappointed with the thirteenth line. The writer would do well to read Professor Lockwood's excellent collection of sonnets just published in the Riverside Literature Series.

*On Literary Expression* is sound and graceful. That all our best writing is self-revelatory; that it is but a bringing forth out of "the treasure-

house of experience" "half-forgotten jewels" of thought and feeling, the writer has told us convincingly. The essay is pleasing because it exemplifies its own thesis. With the exception of the last two paragraphs, which are less agreeable because of the didactic use of the second person, it is intimate; it confides in the reader; and it is shot through with the writer's personality, as such an essay should be.

*Memories* brings us an agreeable word from an old student and makes us feel that the ties of friendship are strong, that he has not forgotten his college days and college mates. Were an ungracious critic to pick flaws, he might hesitate on "melt in the mists of regret" and be sorry that there is not some other less prosy, more suggestive, word than "above" with which to end the verse.

Rarely does a *Quill* writer cast his thoughts in dramatic form; too rarely, indeed, if he can do his task as well as L. O. K. has done his. If it is true that "Art is the purgation of superfluities," "The Cross of Honor" is artistic. Every word in this playlet counts, and counts so much that an impressive picture has been painted with only a few strokes. It makes us hope that the writer will soon attempt at least a two-act playlet,—if there be such.

*The Editor's Easy Chair* would make the interesting point that music alone of all the arts transcends the cataclysm which threatens Europe. The little essay contains some excellent phrases and artistic figures; such as "Rupert Brooke holds by the nerveless hand of death 'one spot that is forever England.'" It is perhaps asking overmuch of such an essay; but this leaves the question upon the lips: "If so, why?" Is it, as the essay possibly would imply, because music is nobler than the other arts or because it is less tangible than sculpture and painting and, therefore, more easily protected? Or is it because musicians are less brave than sculptors, painters, and poets, and have fled the scenes of war and cruelty?

The leanness of this number emboldens the reviewer to advance a pet plan. Why should not every number of the *Quill* contain at least one alumni article? Should our literary monthly be exclusively a medium for undergraduate expression? The *Quill* is now nearing its majority. In the long line of editors from Baxter '98 to Coffin '15, not to mention the many other contributors, there certainly could be found a group of men who, if persuasively invited, would write eight good articles during each year. So much would this improve the *Quill* that the plan at least deserves a trial.

W. B. M.

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## The Freshman Banquet

The decision of the Freshman class for a "dry" banquet is an evidence of wisdom that other Freshman classes have not shown. We do not think that the Freshmen are necessarily condemned to everlasting punishment if their banquet does not conform with the laws of the State of Maine, but in the event of a "wet" banquet, the Freshmen, many of whom are for the first time tasting anything stronger than buttermilk, may cause the impression that Bowdoin undergraduates are habitual drinkers—a condition that does not exist.

## Hebron and the Interscholastic Meets

Feeling that she is not a welcome competitor, Hebron Academy, in recent years the winner of all Bowdoin interscholastic meets, will refuse invitations to compete in Bowdoin or Maine school-boy meets, but there is more than a suspicion that Hebron's resentment of the disqualification of

Jordan and the presence of Massachusetts athletes at the recent meet is an important factor in the withdrawal. However much other schools, so easily defeated every year by Hebron, may rejoice at Hebron's decision, there is on the campus no spirit of antagonism to Hebron. In place of Bowdoin and Maine meets Hebron intends to compete at Harvard and Dartmouth. It is not too much to predict, however, that Hebron will be so badly outclassed that she will be glad to return to fields nearer home.

## The Spectator

At most of our college dances, spectators have been denied admission to the trophy room,—the nearest to a gallery that the gymnasium has,—but have been obliged to cluster around the door and watch as best they may. We see no reason why onlookers should be barred from the best vantage point in the gymnasium, and hope that future dance committees will be thoughtful enough of the spectator,—as the potential purchaser of a ticket to the next dance, at least,—to allow him to watch the festivities from the trophy room.

## The Much Mooted Gumshoe

Since our editorial of two weeks ago on the question of overshoes, we have been questioned, criticised and cursed to such an extent that we are obliged to take up the cudgel in self-defense. For those who are so thin-skinned as to take umbrage we have only sympathy. For those who are so thick-skulled as not to understand it, we promise to print editorials in easy words of one syllable.

## DR. FITCH COLLEGE PREACHER

The college preacher Sunday was Dr. Albert P. Fitch, President of Andover Theological Seminary. Dr. Fitch spoke on the typical faults of the college man. He said in part that every age has its characteristics and the chief characteristics of the college man are his physical courage and moral cowardice. While college men are loyal to college friends and ideals, still a characteristic defect is to be scornful, to despise others. This is the attitude of the half-educated man and the near-scholar, while those who have come through the fight are ever ready to reach down a helping hand to those below. Speaking of the injustice of the brilliant satirist, Dr. Fitch said "no man can sum up his fellow beings in a phrase. Human life is too many-sided for that." Other forms of this same fault are self-scorn and self-despair. In conclusion, Dr. Fitch said, "Remem-

ber Him who believes in you who will not believe in yourself."

Dr. Fitch preached at the Church on the Hill in the morning and at the young people's meeting in the evening. He was entertained at the Delta Upsilon house at dinner.

#### PACIFIC COAST ALUMNI ORGANIZE

At an informal meeting of Bowdoin men following the San Francisco-to-New-York-Banquet-Telephone Demonstration, Feb. 4, it was voted to organize the Pacific Coast Bowdoin Club, and the following directors and officers were elected:

E. S. Pillsbury '63, president; B. C. Carroll '89, vice-president; Harrison Atwood '09, secretary and treasurer; Lucius Lumbard '09 and H. Q. Hawes '10, directors.

It is not planned to draw up any constitution and by-laws or to complete any formal organization at present. This informal club will serve to keep Bowdoin men on the coast united, and through a list to be kept in the hands of the secretary, all Bowdoin men can be reached for occasional gatherings similar to this one of the 4th.

The club will also do everything possible to interest Pacific Coast boys in Bowdoin. It is quite possible that boys will be found who are desirous of an education in the east of just the sort that Bowdoin can give. If the club can give them first hand information about the college and put the Dean in touch with them, it will be doing both them and the college a real service.

#### INTERSCHOLASTIC DEBATES

Two of the four interscholastic debates of the Bowdoin Debating League were held last Friday evening. Edward Little High School defeated Lewiston at Lewiston, upon the question: "Resolved, that the United States should take definite steps to bring about the organization of a Pan-American union as outlined in Usher's 'Pan-Americanism.'" Goodsky '16 and Jacob '18 coached the two teams.

At Westbrook, Biddeford defeated Westbrook High School on the subject: "Resolved, that Secretary Garrison's plan for the reorganization of the army should be adopted." Both of the winning teams supported the negative side of their respective propositions. Niven '16 coached Biddeford and Moran '17 had charge of the Westbrook team. The Cony High vs. Portland, and Lisbon Falls vs. Brunswick debates were postponed for two weeks.

#### COLLEGE TEA HELD IN UNION

The first college tea of the season was held Saturday afternoon in the Union. This is the first

time that the tea has been held outside of Hubbard Hall and everyone present was pleased with the facilities which the new Union offers for a social affair of this kind. Following the tea there was an opportunity for informal dancing. A large number of faculty members, undergraduates and Brunswick people were present.

In the receiving line were Mrs. William A. Moody, Mrs. George T. Files, Mrs. Wilmet B. Mitchell, Mrs. Charles T. Burnett and Mrs. Fred-eric W. Brown.

Mrs. Alfred O. Gross presided at the tea table, assisted by Miss Helen Furbish, Miss Ruth Foss, Miss Agnes Nearing and Miss Katherine Willis. Mrs. William Hawley Davis served coffee. Her assistants were Miss Lida Baker, Miss Marion Drew, Miss Florence Skolfeld and Miss Mabel Davis. Mrs. Paul Nixon and Mrs. Edward H. Wass served punch, with the assistance of Miss Sarah Baxter, Miss Ellen Baxter, Miss Margaret Day, Miss Alexina Lapointe, Miss Mary Elliot, Miss Isabel Palmer, Miss Helen Mitchell and Miss Mary Edwards. Mrs. Samuel B. Furbish, Miss Edith Boardman, Mrs. Alice C. Little and Miss Anna Smith assisted in entertaining.

Each fraternity was represented by an usher. These were: Alpha Delta Phi, Edwards '18; Beta Theta Pi, Hall '16; Delta Kappa Epsilon, Savage '18; Delta Upsilon, Stratton '16; Kappa Sigma, Joyce '18; Psi Upsilon, Hargraves '17; Theta Delta Chi, Albion '18; Zeta Psi, Norton '18; Beta Chi, Maguire '17; Phi Theta Upsilon, Hodgkins '16.

Grant of Lewiston furnished refreshments.

### Communications

Contributions are requested from all undergraduates, alumni and faculty. No anonymous contributions can be accepted.

#### To the Editor of the ORIENT:

The last number of the ORIENT to reach me is quite a "preparedness" number, with the recorded vote of the faculty about military training, your editorial on the same subject, and the account of the New York Alumni banquet. I realize the danger I run in being called a pacifist—a naughty word—or, in the Colonel's withering judgment, "lacking red blood," if I say how glad I was that the faculty seem also to suggest that something more is needed in America than *military* preparedness.

It is hard to over-emphasize the importance of American students becoming prepared at this time of world crisis for leadership in international justice and good will. We must come to see the greatness and the seriousness of the opportunity



facing the present generation of American students to give their lives to this great cause. Surely we all see the futility of most of the past methods of diplomacy and international dealing. America has the opportunity of making the venture as yet untried of carrying out completely in international practice the teachings and the spirit of the founder of Christianity. To those who share this conviction life will be no merely negative or neutral influence. It will be positive and costly and sacrificial. We shall need leaders who will pay the price of the "international mind;" of viewing patriotism as "the last of the pagan virtues," of realizing that the brotherhood of man becomes not merely a phrase but a challenge to life service.

I sincerely hope that this call may be brought home to morally thoughtful Bowdoin men fully as clearly as the need for military preparedness. Men come to see that the influence of Cyrus Hamlin of the class of 1834, in his brilliant service as a missionary and teacher in Turkey, cannot be measured in terms of battleships and battalions. Perhaps a course of lectures on modern foreign missions should lead many of us to see, as open-minded travellers like ex-President Taft clearly see, that this phase of the work of the church has done more for moral, social and intellectual uplift and international good feeling than all our commerce and armies put together.

My plea would be, therefore, for a wide horizon and balanced judgment in this hour of strain. I am encouraged to write this brief letter as I recall the last speech that General Hubbard made at the Bowdoin Alumni banquet one year ago, when with the vivid memory of the uselessness of our Civil War in settling many questions, he urged that we adopt some other method than military preparedness as our future policy.

Sincerely yours,

DAVID R. PORTER '06.

*Editor of the ORIENT,*

DEAR SIR:—I was much pleased, I might even say elated, to read the recent number of the *ORIENT* which presents the views of a group of the younger graduates of Bowdoin concerning the intellectual interests of the college. Incidentally, I am gratified to note that three of these men are members of the faculty of Reed College. But that is not why I am prompted to write to you, nor is it because I agree with all that they say. What makes this letter an event in the history of higher education is the fact that these young graduates are seriously endeavoring to have a constructive part in the progressive development of the chief activities of the college

instead of confining their interest to its incidental amusements. The *ORIENT* will be rising to what the country has a right to expect of Bowdoin College if it gives more and more attention to such discussions.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM T. FOSTER.

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

I was very glad to receive the Alumni Issue of the *ORIENT* and have read and reread it with great interest. I believe these special issues will do a great deal to keep the interest of the alumni really alive. It is well for all concerned that our love for Bowdoin should depend somewhat on present knowledge as well as on pleasant memories.

My attention was chiefly drawn by the articles on the curriculum, and as this is a matter which interests me deeply, I wish to add a few items to the discussion.

As to the nature of the courses now given, it hardly seems that there is very much to be said. The teaching methods now in use at Bowdoin can safely be stated to be as effective as those in use anywhere. The problem of "snap courses" is hardly one to be dealt with by external criticism. There remain, then, the questions as to addition of courses and organization of the curriculum.

In suggesting additions to any college curriculum there is always the danger that one may stress his own specialty. However, I venture to suggest that an elementary course on Theory of Knowledge, Logic, and Scientific Method would fill a real need. This suggestion does not seem very extravagant in view of the fact that such a course is given in the vast majority of colleges.

I come now to the question of organization. It is worth noting that the two articles in the January Alumni Issue discuss the question of requirements rather than that of organization, upon which all requirements must depend. One of the principal difficulties in connection with required courses is that students do not always understand clearly why such and such courses should be required. It is my belief that a great part of this difficulty could be overcome by a logical arrangement of the courses in the catalog. Personal advice may be forgotten or disregarded. A logical arrangement of courses in the catalog to which the student must refer whenever the time comes to elect courses can hardly help impressing itself upon his mind. Students would thus be led naturally to realize what a broad culture means, and we might even hope that the system of requirements would in time come to appear reasonable instead of a puzzle. If it seems advisable to fol-

low the alphabetical order in the body of the catalog for convenience of reference, it would still be a simple matter to give, in connection with the discussion now appearing in the catalog under the heading "Required and Elective Studies," the best grouping of courses that can be devised. Just as a suggestion of what I mean I offer the following arrangement:

Group 1. Methodology

- a. Philosophy
- b. Mathematics (including Astronomy, Surveying, etc.)

Group 2. Natural Science

- a. Physical Sciences  
Physics, Chemistry, Geology and Mineralogy
- b. Biological Sciences  
Botany, Zoölogy, Physiology, Psychology

Group 3. Social Science

- a. Sociology and Economics, Education
- b. History and Political Science

Group 4. Aesthetics

- a. Languages and Literatures  
Rhetoric, Public Speaking, Debating, etc.
- b. Music, Fine Arts

The above order is not strictly logical, but is determined, to some extent, by the nature and affiliation of the courses now given.

As regards requirements, I should only suggest that every student must specialize in one group and do some work in each of the others, while a very few courses should, as at present, be definitely required.

CHESTER E. KELLOGG '11.

## The Other Colleges

The campus restaurant proposition probably is better worked out at Minnesota than at any other school in the United States. Over one thousand students are fed at every meal with a cost to each student of twenty-one cents per day. This is remarkable and is an example of extremely high efficiency. Practically everything is done by machinery that can be done that way. The potatoes are peeled by machine; the bread is cut by a large machine which takes but one attendant, and which can cut enough in twenty minutes to serve a meal; all the cooking is done by gas and under high pressure so that time is saved; the dishwashing is done by two people, a man and a woman who do not have to touch the dishes with their hands at all. All the meals are served from a central kitchen and regular help is employed all the time. The proposition of having students do the work met with absolute failure there, so it was decided to install a high efficiency kitchen. Each person in the kitchen is trained to do some

one thing and it is necessary that he know how to do it in the shortest possible time.

There is also a dormitory on the campus where room, heat, laundry, nurse hire, and good meals are furnished to the students for exactly 40 cents per day. This is getting it down to bed rock and is certainly a worthy example of efficiency and economy.

In commemoration of its two-hundredth anniversary which will occur next October, Yale is planning a pageant. It is expected that about four thousand people, including students, citizens, and school children of New Haven will take part. The pageant will indicate in various episodes the most important events in the history of Yale and New Haven.

Upon recommendation of Dr. Faunce and several of the leaders of undergraduate activities, the Brown Union has decided to keep a "date book" for the purpose of listing dates for college events. It is felt that this innovation will in large measure do away with troublesome conflicts between all organization meetings.

Columbia has a new intercollegiate monthly called *The Challenge*. It is a "Free Speech" paper in opposition to the custom of suppressing news which might antagonize the faculty.

The Michigan Agricultural College rifle team made a perfect score of 1000 points in its match against the United States Naval Academy last week. This performance is said to be a new record in contests under the auspices of the National Rifle Association of America.

Northwestern University will conduct the first tour of Central America by a college musical association, when the combined clubs of that institution will give a series of concerts there this winter.

More than twenty men have signed up for the Harvard University geological field trip to the Colorado Mountains next summer. They will leave Boston July 7th or 8th.

Cornell's Major Sports Council has ruled that any number of "C's" may be awarded in the future for meritorious work on a university squad.

Because of the fatal result of the historic "Bowl Fight" at the University of Pennsylvania, the student body of Wesleyan University recently voted to abolish the traditional "Cannon Scrap."

"Since the U. S. was founded, only one man in seven hundred fifty has gone through college, yet from this group have come 17 of the 26 presidents, 19 of the 27 vice-presidents, and 17 of the 34 persons in the Hall of Fame. Only 1% of our present population are college people, yet this small percentage furnishes 29 of the 51 govern-

ors of states and territories, 61 of the 93 U. S. Senators, 272 out of 395 Congressmen and 9 of the 9 Supreme Court Judges."—*Exchange*.

A "prohibition drunk" is a new event in the life of college students, yet the Prohibition League at Wabash College, Ind., recently pulled off a successful one on cider and doughnuts. This organization works the feature of a "Prohibition night" in every society in the college.

Athletic relations between the University of California and Stanford University, which were broken off last fall, have been resumed for six months. The point that brought about the split, that freshmen should be barred from intercollegiate sport, has been conceded by Stanford.

Trinity College has adopted a new set of athletic eligibility rules, providing among other things, that no student shall represent the college in athletics who has been a member of a classified baseball league under the national commission.

### On the Campus

W. E. Atwood '10 was on the campus last week.

All men who expect to compete in the inter-class meet must report for training today.

Dr. William T. Sedgwick of M. I. T. will lecture in the Union this evening at 8.00 on Public Health.

Cruff '16 and Wallace '18 who were operated on recently for appendicitis are convalescent and will return to college within two or three weeks.

James Crane, who is to be leading man in the Jefferson Players who will open the stock season at the Jefferson Theatre next week, was formerly a student here and prominent in track athletics.

A regional convention of the Alpha Delta Phi fraternity was held at Trinity College in Hartford, Conn., Feb. 17, 18 and 19. The delegates from the Bowdoin chapters were White '16 and Rickard '17. Noble '16 and Robie '16 also attended the convention. Eight of the eastern chapters of the fraternity were represented.

### CALENDAR

March

7. Freshmen Relay vs. Bates Freshmen.
10. Freshman-Sophomore Track Meet.
10. Interscholastic Debates.
17. Indoor Interclass Meet.
23. Intercollegiate Debates.

### Alumni Department

'88.—Rev. Percival Freeman Marston, D.D., died on Feb. 19 in Concord, N. H., after an illness lasting for about two years. The greater part of

his life was spent in the ministry. He was born in Gorham, Maine, Oct. 14, 1864, and was fitted for college at the Gorham High School. He taught school for the year following his graduation, and entered Bowdoin College in 1884. After a very creditable course of study, he received the degree of A.B. in 1888. For the next three years Dr. Marston was very successful as a high school principal in both Maine and Connecticut schools, but his call to the ministry was so strong that he relinquished teaching as a profession and took a three year course in the Andover Theological Seminary, being graduated in 1894. His first pastorate was the Congregational Church of Cambridge, N. Y., which he held for two years. In 1896 he accepted a call to the pastorate of the Lancaster (N. H.) Congregational Church. There he spent six years, and quality of the service that he rendered is attested by the following, which was said of him upon the completion of his pastorate: "Mr. Marston was a good preacher when he came to Lancaster, but he is a better one now. He has given faithful service to the church and leaves it a united body. He has always had the support of the parish, and there has never been a breath of dissatisfaction or discontent." After leaving Lancaster in 1902, he filled the pulpit of the Pine Street Congregational Church of Lewiston, Maine, until 1907, when he was called to the New England Congregational Church of Chicago. Here he remained two years, and from 1911 to 1914 was pastor of the Congregational Church of Grinnell, Iowa. Ill health compelled him to withdraw from active service, and he has passed the last two years in retirement. He was awarded the degree of D.D., by Bates College in 1904.

Besides his widow, Dr. Marston is survived by a son, Harold Marston, Bowdoin '11, now principal of a high school in Massachusetts, a daughter, Miss Mildred Marston, who has been recently teaching school in Concord, N. H., a sister, who lives in Brunswick, and a brother, Dr. C. H. Marston, of Brownfield, Maine.

'91.—Dr. Charles F. Lincoln, surgeon at St. John's Hospital, Shanghai, China, gave an informal dinner recently to the Bowdoin graduates residing in Shanghai. Dr. Lincoln's guests were Sterling Fessenden '96, Harry B. Neagle '99, Harold Stetson '06 and Edward W. Torrey '12.

'07.—Professor C. Wilbert Snow, recently at the University of Utah, has accepted a chair in the Department of Literature at the University of Indiana. Professor Snow is also a graduate of Columbia University, 1909, and had done educational work in Alaska previous to his connection with the University of Utah.



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## SENIOR ELECTIONS

A Senior class meeting was held Monday evening, Feb. 28, and resulted in the following elections:

President, Herbert H. Foster.  
Vice-President, William D. Ireland.  
Secretary-Treasurer, Dwight H. Sayward.  
Marshal, Richard S. Fuller.  
Orator, Don J. Edwards.  
Poet, Donald S. White.  
Opening Address, Guy W. Leadbetter.  
Farewell Address, Hayward T. Parsons.  
Historian, Edward P. Garland.  
Odist, Ora L. Evans.  
Class Day Committee, E. P. Garland, A. F. Head, E. R. Little, L. D. Pettingill and R. S. Fuller.  
Class Cane Committee, E. P. Garland, D. H. Sayward and R. S. Fuller.  
Seniors' Last Gym Committee, W. D. Ireland, L. M. Noble and R. R. Drummond.  
Captain and manager of class track team, Guy W. Leadbetter.

## FRESHMEN RUN BATES TONIGHT

The trials for the Freshman relay team were held last Saturday afternoon. Turner, Mitchell, Hutchinson and Cole, with Vance as alternate, were chosen by Coach Magee to make up the team. The fastest man, Turner, broke the record for Freshman relay trials. This team will run against the Bates Freshmen in a 168~yard relay race at the Lewiston City Hall tonight in the Bates Interclass Meet. The men will run on a flat track without spikes.

## RIFLE CLUB PROGRESSING

Tuesday night, February 29, a total of ninety-three paid memberships in the recently organized Bowdoin Rifle Club had been handed in to the secretary, Professor Langley. The lists have been sent to the State Secretary, by whom they will be forwarded to the National Secretary of the N. R. A. at Washington. It is hoped to have an early return of the authorized equipment, which consists of one Krag rifle for every five members, and one hundred twenty rounds of ammunition for each member.

The Rifle Club had its first match last evening, after the ORIENT went to press, with the Brunswick Rifle Club. Trials were held Friday evening and the men who qualified for the team, with their scores, are:

Hurlin '18	.....241
Schlosberg '18	.....236
Johnson '18	.....234
Sayward '16	.....232
Langley	.....231
Greeley '17	.....223
Achorn '17	.....222

Militia officers are desirous of seeing the formation of a volunteer militia company among the students of Bowdoin. This organization would be formed in the same manner as the Harvard regiment. The local company, if organized, would drill at regular intervals and would have the privilege of using the large guns of Fort McKinley under the same conditions as the State Coast Artillery Corps. No definite steps have been taken as yet, toward the formation of such a body here.

## BATES BEATEN TWICE

### FIRST GAME A SHUT OUT

The first intercollegiate hockey game in Maine for over six years and the first one ever held between Bowdoin and Bates was played in Lewiston last Thursday afternoon, Bowdoin being victorious 2-0. Owing to the fact that the college has not yet granted the players the permission to use the name of the college, the team representing Bowdoin played under the name of the Brunswick Hockey Club. Both goals were made in the first five minutes of play. McIninch and Little performed brilliantly for the winners, while Duncan outclassed the rest of the Bates team. The lineups:—

BRUNSWICK HOCKEY CLUB	BATES COLLEGE
Little, lf.....lf,	Davis
L. Irving, c.....c,	Pendelow
Bartlett, rf.....rf,	Keaney
Burr, r.....r,	Pedbereznak
McIninch, cp.....cp,	Sattuck
Bradford, p.....p,	J. Neville
Brown, g.....g,	Shattuck

Substitutes: for Brunswick Hockey Club, R. Irving; for Bates, Duncan, Bickford and Pickhard.

Referee, Profit; umpire, Purinton; goals, L. Irving, Little; timer, Russell; time, twenty minute halves.

#### SECOND GAME SATURDAY

In the second game, Saturday afternoon, on the college rink, the Brunswick Hockey Club defeated the Bates team in a one-sided contest, 12 to 3. Playing on their own rink, the Bowdoin players completely outclassed their opponents. Bartlett was the high point man with five goals, while Captain L. Irving followed with three. Captain Pedbereznak of Bates made two of the three goals for his team. The lineups:—

BUNSWICK HOCKEY CLUB	BATES
Little, lf. ....	lf, Davis
L. Irving, c. ....	c, Duncan, Pendelow
Bartlett, rf. ....	rf, Keaney
Littlefield, r. ....	r, Pedbereznak
McIninch, cp. ....	cp, J. Neville
Burr, Bradford, p. ....	p, Bickford, Shattuck
Brown, g. ....	g, Stellbacker, Pickhard

Score: Brunswick Hockey Club 12, Bates 3. Goals: Bartlett (5), L. Irving (3), Little (2), McIninch, Littlefield, Davis, Pedbereznak (2). Referee, Hutchins; assistant referees, Nickerson and McCulloch; timer, Stetson; time, twenty-minute halves.

#### FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE MEET FRIDAY

Plans for the Freshman-Sophomore meet to be held Friday night are maturing rapidly. The men are all in good condition and it is expected that a fast meet will result. Trainer Magee prophesies the best dual meet that has been held here for several years. The 36 lb. weight throw and the discus throw will take place Friday afternoon. All the other events will be held in the evening, commencing promptly at 7.30.

Tickets for the meet will be twenty-five cents but holders of Blanket Tax tickets will be admitted on coupon No. 1.

#### HANDICAP, MEET LAST WEEK

An informal handicap track meet was held in the Hyde Athletic Building Friday afternoon. The results are as follows:

High jump: White '17, Fenning '17, Keene '17, (tied); broad jump: Gray '18, Merrill '19 (tied), Hildreth '16; 40 yard dash: won by Webber '16, 2nd, Pirnie '18, 3rd, Pierce '17; 880 yard run: won by Crosby '17, 2nd, Turner '19, 3rd, Irving '16; 440 yard run: won by Hersum '19, 2nd, Pierce '17, 3rd, Doherty '19; 45 yard high hur-

dles: won by Webber '16, 2nd, White '17, 3rd, Savage '18; 45 yard low hurdles: won by Webber '16, 2nd, White '17; 36 lb. weight: won by Mosher '19, 2nd, Leadbetter '16, 3rd, Ramsdell '17; 16 lb. shot: won by Leadbetter '16, 2nd, Warren '18, 3rd, Wheet '18; mile run: won by Crosby '17, 2nd, Turner '19, 3rd, Fillmore '17; pole vault: won by Warren '18, 2nd, Sawyer '19, 3rd, Farnum '18.

Crosby broke the indoor half-mile record, and Webber equalled the record for the high hurdles.

#### LECTURE ON PUBLIC HEALTH

Last Tuesday evening, Dr. William T. Sedgwick, professor of sanitary engineering at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, gave an interesting lecture in the Union on the subject, "Public Health of Today and Tomorrow." Dr. Sedgwick traced the discovery of the causes of disease from the time of the ancients down to the present day. He mentioned the fact that the ancients believed that disease was caused by demons. Then Pasteur showed the true cause of disease, the germs. Following upon this discovery, Lister invented antiseptics and Koch antitoxins. Dr. Sedgwick used many illustrative stereopticon slides. The lecture, held under the auspices of the Christian Association and the Biology Club, was well appreciated by the large audience present.

#### BOWDOIN MASONS ORGANIZE

The members of the Masonic order in Bowdoin College have formed a club. The following are members: from the faculty, Professor Johnson, Professor Mitchell, Mr. Furbish, Mr. Wass and Dr. Lippincott; from the college, Barrett '16, Bate '16, Evans '16, Hescocock '16, Weick '16, Bailey '17, Leatherbarrow '17, Marston '17, Willey '17, Mathews '18, Mooers '18 and Hill '19; from the medical school, Chenery, Holt, Kimball, Nev-ers and Sleeper, all of 1918.

#### BUGLE NOTICES

March 15th has been set as the time limit for the payment of the Junior Bugle assessments. Men who have not yet paid their assessment or made arrangements for such payment to Manager Crosby or Assistant Manager Oliver, are urged to do so before that date, as the book is about ready for the press.

The Junior class picture will be taken tomorrow noon on the steps of the Art Building at 1 p. m. sharp. Each member must wear a stiff, white collar and be on hand promptly. The picture will be taken unless the day is actually stormy.

The Freshman class picture will be taken Fri-

day noon at one o'clock sharp on the Art Building steps. Stiff, white collars will be necessary. Unless the day is stormy the picture will be taken.

#### WILL SPEAK ON PLATTSBURG CAMPS

Next Thursday evening Mr. John M. Glidden of Newcastle, who last summer attended the business men's camp at Plattsburg, will speak in the Union on government military camps. All students are invited.

#### FRIARS AT PORTLAND

The undergraduate Friars were the guests Saturday evening of the graduate members of the club residing in Portland. The party dined at the Portland Country Club and spent the latter part of the evening at the Jefferson Theatre. The graduate members present were Neal W. Cox '08, Arthur L. Robinson '08, George C. Kern '12 and Clarence A. Brown '15. The active members present were: Dunn, Foster, Ireland, Leadbetter, McElwee and Sayward of 1916; Colbath, Crosby and Marston of 1917.

#### KENNEBEC ALUMNI BANQUET

The eighteenth annual banquet of the Kennebec Bowdoin Alumni Association was held at the Augusta House Wednesday evening, Feb. 9. The banquet was preceded by a business session at which these officers were elected: M. S. Holway '82, president; Henry W. Cobb '00, Emery O. Beane '04, vice-presidents; George H. Macomber '11, secretary and treasurer; John R. Gould '85, F. J. C. Little '89 and R. H. Bodwell '01, executive committee.

The banquet was held in the banquet hall where the tables were attractively decorated and an elaborate menu provided by Landlord Emerson. Music was furnished by Dennis's Orchestra and at intervals in the program the old college songs were sung with much spirit. The committee in charge consisted of Fremont J. C. Little, John R. Gould and R. H. Bodwell.

Among those seated at the tables were: Dr. Oscar C. S. Davies '79, Melvin S. Holway '82, John R. Gould '85, John V. Lane '87, Fremont J. C. Little '89, Dr. Oliver W. Turner '90, Louis A. Burleigh '91, Ralph W. Leighton '96, Rev. Henry E. Dunnack '97, Charles S. Pettengill '98, Dr. Richard H. Stubbs '98, Henry W. Cobb '00, Henry D. Evans '01, Ralph G. Webber '06, Blaine S. Viles '03, Burleigh Martin '10, S. S. Webster '10, G. Cony Weston '10, Fred R. Lord '11, George H. Macomber '11, M. G. L. Bailey '11, Alfred Johnson '11, Herbert Locke '12, Edwin Burleigh '13, William Williamson '14, of Augusta;

Charles A. Knight '96, of Gardiner.

Principal Henry W. Cobb of Cony High School was toastmaster at the post-prandial exercises and the speakers of the evening were Professor Ham, Rev. Henry E. Dunnack, pastor of the Green Street Methodist Church, Mayor Blaine S. Viles, M. S. Holway and Herbert E. Locke.

#### ANDROSCOGGIN ALUMNI MEET

The third annual banquet of the Androscoggin County Alumni was held Thursday, Feb. 24, at the DeWitt, Lewiston, with over sixty members present. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Wallace H. White, Jr., president; Tascus Atwood, vice-president; Dr. E. S. Cummings, second vice-president; George C. Webber, third vice-president; George A. Bower, chorister; John H. White, secretary and treasurer; A. G. Staples, John A. Morrill, Reuel Smith, T. C. White, C. F. Packard, J. D. Clifford, Jr., H. S. Coombs, A. D. Weston, Dr. W. W. Bolster, Dr. C. H. Cunningham, Dr. A. W. Potter and E. Farrington Abbott, executive committee.

Stratton '16, Sturgis '19 and Merrill '19 entertained with a flute and violin duet. President F. L. Dingley read a letter from Judge L. A. Emery on "The Relations Between Bowdoin and the Judiciary," and a letter of regret from Professor Stanton of Bates. Dean Sills represented the college, speaking of the growth in alumni spirit and of the attitude of the college on various matters. Principal Sargent of Hebron Academy discussed athletics and the relation of the fitting school to the college. Dr. W. W. Bolster mentioned the high standing and great advantages of the Bowdoin Medical School. Other speakers were Hon. Wallace H. White, Jr., and A. G. Staples.

Among those present were: Dr. S. L. Andrews, C. C. Abbott, E. F. Abbott, W. E. Atwood, George A. Bower, Claude O. Bower, Edward K. Bly, Dr. W. W. Bolster, John R. Bass, H. S. Coombs, Thomas E. Chase, J. D. Clifford, Jr., William H. Clifford, Dr. E. S. Cummings, Dr. E. V. Call, Dr. C. H. Cunningham, Dr. William J. Fahey, Dr. H. E. Hitchcock, F. E. Harrington, John E. Kincaid, W. C. Merrill, C. L. Beedy, W. Y. Mallett, Dr. H. R. Miller, Dr. C. E. Norton, Dr. J. C. Oram, P. L. Pottle, Dr. A. W. Potter, Dr. E. L. Pennell, Olin S. Pettengill, Dr. Blinn Russell, E. R. Stratton, W. E. Sargent, A. G. Staples, Reuel Smith, Dr. J. W. Scannell, Dr. John Sturgis, W. G. Tackaberry, W. H. White, Jr., J. H. White, T. C. White, D. C. White, Dr. W. E. Webber, A. D. Weston, H. S. White, Lee D. Pettengill.



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## The Plattsburg Camps

As the college year draws near its close, the question arises of what to do next summer. The Government has furnished a solution to this in the establishment of military training camps at Plattsburg, New York.

Military preparedness is a topic which for some time has been too ably discussed elsewhere to necessitate its being taken up here. If it is desirable, as is the general consensus of opinion, then it is for the young men of the country to fall in with the plans of the war department for acquiring an understanding of military affairs. The Plattsburg camps afford a most excellent training. After a month or five weeks of thorough military instruction with strict discipline, a man leaves with the feeling that he has accomplished something worth while, and that he has aided in a national movement for preparation for a war, which may at some time be unavoidable.

Patriotic motives alone should serve to send

many to Plattsburg. But we might take a more selfish standpoint. The student going to Plattsburg is assured of a good time. He need not spend all his time with a rifle on his shoulder. Baseball, tennis and dancing feature in the camp life. Situated on the shore of Lake Champlain, the camp site is ideal for water sports as well. The wholesome, out-door life is a fitting supplement to the collegiate year.

In resolutions recently adopted our faculty stated its belief that "the college should aid in military preparation in this country for the purposes of defense" that it "should encourage the attendance of its students at the summer training camps at Plattsburg," and also "that it should give reasonable credit toward the bachelor's degree for work in military science and for attendance at the student training camps."

There are probably fifty men in college who could go to Plattsburg next summer, if they should so desire. Should they not attend this camp, and thus help to carry out the policy of the college in furthering the cause of military preparedness, and give Bowdoin a foremost place in one of the movements of the day?

E. C. H.

## Bowdoin Moving Pictures

At Amherst and the University of Pennsylvania moving pictures have been taken of the various points of interest and of the students in pursuit of their daily tasks and recreation. These pictures are sent to alumni meetings in all parts of the country and serve as a valuable medium between alumni and the college. Here at Bowdoin we have a set of photographs known as the "Bowdoin slides." These have been shown at many alumni meetings, and are now at the service of any alumnus who wishes to use them, but we think that moving pictures of Bowdoin would portray the college in more active, vivid fashion than any stereopticon views could do. In addition to serving as a means of entertainment at alumni reunions, Bowdoin moving pictures would fulfill a practical purpose in showing campus life to preparatory school men who might not otherwise think of Bowdoin.

The possibilities for Bowdoin moving pictures are many. At Commencement, the distinguished alumni present, the commencement procession, the exercises, costumed classes which are celebrating reunions; at Ivy, Seniors' last chapel; and, in general, the buildings, work in the gymnasium or on Whittier Field, the laboratories, members of the faculty and the student body,—these are among the many opportunities for pic-

tures of life and interest. The only objection to such pictures is expense, but for that matter, entertainment at all alumni gatherings costs money, and it is impossible to advertise the college in any suitable way without sizeable expenditure. We hope that when appropriations are made for next year, a reasonable sum will be set aside for Bowdoin moving pictures.

#### IRVING BACHELLER TO LECTURE

On Thursday, March 16, at 8 p. m., Mr. Irving Bacheller comes to Memorial Hall to give his popular lecture based on his famous satire of American life "Keeping up with Lizzie."

Mr. Bacheller assumes the character of the Honorable Socrates Potter and in this role he gives a vital message as well as an evening's entertainment.

The price of admission is 50c. Students of the College and of the Medical School are admitted free.

#### DEBATING TEAMS SELECTED

The successful candidates in the debating trials have been divided into two teams to represent the college in the intercollegiate debates on March 23. The affirmative team, which will debate Hamilton at Clinton, N. Y., is made up of Chapman '17, Heseock '16 and Jacob '18, with Churchill '16 as alternate. The negative team, which will debate Wesleyan at Brunswick, is composed of Bowdoin '17, Lane '17, Moran '17 and Coburn '19, alternate. It has been decided to hold the local debate in the Union instead of in Memorial Hall as heretofore. The question of debate will be as originally stated except that the prefix ex-will be inserted before Mr. Garrison's title. It now reads: "Resolved, that ex-Secretary Garrison's plan for reorganizing the military system of the United States should be adopted."

It is planned to have a debate between the affirmative and negative teams about a week before the intercollegiate contest and to award the Bradbury prizes for excellence in this debate.

#### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Two deputations are under consideration for the present month: March 12, at Falmouth Fore-side; and March 19, at North Windham.

Thursday, Feb. 24, Professor Best of the Springfield Training School met a group of ten men, to whom he described the curriculum which the Training School offers for graduate work.

John Clair Minot '96 will lecture upon certain phases of magazine work, at the Union, March 16. Mr. Minot is an editor of the *Youth's Com-*

*panion* and has had wide experience in journalism. His lecture promises to be one of the most interesting of any given at the Union this year.

An instructor from Andover Theological Seminary will meet such men as plan to enter the ministry, on March 21. On March 24, 25 and 26, a convention of New England college men who plan to enter theological seminaries, will be held at the Andover Theological Seminary, Cambridge, Mass.

Efforts are being made to bring to Bowdoin a man who has seen actual service in the battle zone among the army hospitals of France or Serbia, and who will deliver an illustrated lecture upon the conditions and needs of the men in the trenches. Four men are under consideration at present, three of whom were members of the Harvard hospital unit in France. The fourth prospect was an assistant to Richard P. Strong in the anti-typhus campaign in Serbia, last August. Immediately following this lecture, the Christian Association will conduct an organized campaign to procure suitable cash contributions which will be sent to aid the hospital forces in France instead of the former Hiwale missionary efforts.

### The Other Colleges

An innovation to break the monotony of the winter months has been started at Colby. An auction bridge whist tournament between the six fraternities is in progress and a suitable trophy will be given to the winner.

That the course in military training at Princeton University is not meeting with the unanimous favor of the students was recently shown by a protest signed by a number of Seniors. The protest was not against preparedness but against preparedness through the medium of a university course.

Not content with a Yale battalion, students at New Haven plan to have an aviation corps. Arrangements have been made with the Connecticut Aircraft Company for the use of a dirigible to be set up temporarily in the state armory at Hartford, where the corps will receive practical instruction in aircraft management. It is said that the Government will send representatives to inspect the students' work.

Yale will also have one of the first armories built by a college not endowed or supported by the state, which will soon be under way at New Haven in close proximity to the Bowl. Ground for the new departure in university preparedness has been given by the University authorities, but the entire cost will be borne by the Yale alumni.

Harvard students have declared war on the "sissies." Wrist watches are the particular bane of the red-blooded, square-jawed students who are in hunt for the culprits, Percy D. Haughton included.

Cornell University took a straw vote on woman suffrage just before New York state voted on the question last fall. The vote of the undergraduates was 512 for to 297 against, and the faculty vote was 72 for and only 18 against. Only 809 undergraduates voted at all out of the great student body.

Harvard's new swimming tank in the Harvard Union will cost \$16,000.

### On the Campus

The Sophomores will hold a class meeting at 7.30 tomorrow evening.

The Freshman banquet will be held in Portland during the latter part of May.

Copies of the weekly newspapers from other colleges may be found at the Union.

In the recent tournament at the Brunswick Club, Baxter '16 won the auction championship.

Sampson '17 and Biggers '17 have been appointed captain and pianist respectively of the Junior track team.

Cruff '16 has returned to college after an operation for appendicitis. Wallace '18 is expected to return by the end of the week.

Alumni Night will be observed at the Theta Delt house Friday evening and a large number of graduates are expected to return.

Communion was observed at the Church on the Hill Sunday noon. Dr. and Mrs. Milne, and Mosher '19 united with the church.

Kappa Sigma had its New England banquet in Boston last week, Hight '16, Trust '16 and Hill '19 representing the Alpha Rho chapter.

The opportunity for joining the Bowdoin Rifle Club under the reduced rates closed last Tuesday, and before that time over 90 students had joined.

Harry Oakes '96, Emery '13 and Wish '13 were on the campus last week. Soule *ex-'16* attended the Sophomore Hop, and Longren *ex-'18*, who is now located in Portland, made a week-end trip to Bowdoin.

The Brunswick town meeting was held yesterday, with the result that several adjourns were granted. Dean Sills is secretary of the Democratic Town Committee, and Professor Ham has been elected alternate delegate to the Democratic State Convention.

A basketball team calling itself the Bow-

doin Tigers was defeated at Richmond by the Richmond Athletic Club last Thursday with a score of 27 to 16. On the Bowdoin team were Hight '16, Boratis '19, Ewer '19, A. D. Holbrook '19 and E. M. Whitcomb '19.

The New England convention and banquet of Beta Theta Pi was held in Boston last Saturday. Bowdoin men who attended were: McConaughy '17, delegate, Bird '16, Moulton '16, Hall '16, Sampson '17, Lovejoy '17, Hanson '18, Pendleton '18, Walker '18, McCarthy '19, Grover '19.

At the annual meeting of the I. A. A. A. in New York Saturday, the annual track and field championships were awarded to Harvard and will be held in the Stadium, May 26 and 27. Leland Stanford University was admitted to membership but the application of the University of Pittsburg was tabled for a year.

Delta Upsilon held its district convention with the Colby chapter at Waterville, Saturday. The majority of the members of the Bowdoin chapter attended the convention, Crossman '16 and McCormack '17 being delegates. Grierson '16, Piedra '17 and Jacob '18 were on the committee of arrangements. Paul Douglas '13 was toastmaster at the banquet, and Churchill '16 was one of the speakers.

The Theta Delta Chi national convention was held in Boston last month, and 15 undergraduates represented the Eta charge. Littlefield '16 and Stone '17 were delegates, and the others in attendance were Merrill '16, Yenetchi '16, Boothby '17, Albion '18, Manderson '18, Haskell '18, Parker '18, Mooers '18, Burr '19, Mitchell '19 and McCulloch '19. Burr *ex-'16* and Brooks *ex-'18* were also present. Many Bowdoin graduates attended the charge luncheon.

### CALENDAR

#### March

7. Freshmen Relay vs. Bates Freshmen, at Lewiston.
8. 1.00. Junior Class Picture, Art Building steps.
10. Freshman-Sophomore Meet.  
Bowdoin Interscholastic Debates.
16. ORIENT Board Elections.  
1.00. Freshman Class Picture, Art Building steps.  
Irving Bacheller lecture, Memorial Hall.  
Lecture on Journalism, John Clair Minot, in the Union.
17. Indoor Interclass Meet.



- 13 Prize Debate, closed.  
Seniors' Last Gym.
23. Intercollegiate Debates; Hamilton at Clinton, N. Y.; Wesleyan at Brunswick.

## Alumni Department

'61.—Edward Stanwood, author of "History of the Presidency," "American Tariff Controversies" and other books, and for several years editor-in-chief of the *Youth's Companion*, had an article in the *Boston Herald* of March 3 under the caption, "Presidential Primaries in 1912." In order to test the value of the primary elections in that year, Mr. Stanwood compares the result of the primary elections with that a few months later at the November election, setting the combined vote for the three candidates—Roosevelt, Taft and LaFollette—in the spring of 1912 beside the combined vote for both Taft and Roosevelt in November. After discussing in detail the application of the figures to the case in each state of the twelve considered, the following conclusions are reached: "No system has yet been devised in any state that ensures, or even makes probable, the ascertainment of the wishes of the members of a party as to who shall be their candidate for the presidency. In short, there is no system that accomplishes the sole object of the law. Whether the law has been improved or not we shall know later, but on a study of the facts it is impossible to hold that the primaries of 1912 gave a free and true expression of the party's will in the states in which they were held. The grand conclusion from this analysis, one which cannot be gainsaid, is that the presidential primaries in 1912 were a complete failure. They had a better test than they are likely ever to have again, and better than in any contest of the past; for there was an unexampled contest to be decided. They failed in seven states because they did not attract more than half of the voters; they failed in three where the Republicans were not allowed to make the decision for themselves; they were wholly successful in one state (California); and as to the twelfth (Wisconsin) there is not sufficient evidence to determine what the result would have been if the voters had had the privilege of voting for the man of their real choice."

'78.—Barrett Potter, ex-state senator and representative to the legislature, secretary of the Board of Overseers of Bowdoin College from 1891 to 1894 and since 1894 secretary of the Board of Trustees and ex-officio overseer, and at present a prominent lawyer in Brunswick, is the author of the following, clipped from the *Boston Herald*:

## ROOT SUPERIOR TO WILSON

To the Editor of the *Herald*:

Referring to "President Wilson's capacity in expression," you ask in today's *Herald*: "With whom can the Republicans match him?"

With Elihu Root, for one. He is not only our deepest and clearest political thinker, but excels all others in power of statement. His words are the fit and natural vehicle of his thought, and will be remembered, I believe, after President Wilson's rhetoric is forgotten, but remembered only as a vehicle. What is generally the first thing people notice in Wilson's speeches and "notes"? The form in which they are cast. What is it in Root's case? The substance of his thought. The distinction is vital. A perfect medium of expression does not call attention to itself. I heard Bryan state this distinction once in comparing Cicero and Demosthenes. "When Cicero spoke, the people said: 'How well Cicero speaks!' But when Demosthenes spoke, they said: 'It will go against Philip.'"

Excuse me for quoting Bryan. I believe the rule is, if you get it from him, it isn't so.

BARRETT POTTER.

Brunswick, Me., Feb. 28.

'76-'96.—Among the recently elected officers of the Maine Association of Savings Banks are two alumni of Bowdoin. Carleton P. Merrill '96 of Skowhegan was chosen president and John A. Morrill '76 of Auburn was elected to the executive committee.

'04.—Harold E. Mayo has recently entered the employ of The Travelers Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn., in the capacity of a pay roll auditor, compensation and liability department. For the present Mr. Mayo is connected with the New York City office of The Travelers.

'07.—C. R. Bennett, whose marriage was recently announced in this department, will not go to Panama, as he expected and as was announced, but has sailed from Vancouver, B. C., for Kobe, Japan, where he will be employed in the office of the International Banking Corporation. For the past ten months Mr. Bennett has been in the United States on furlough after six years in Asia with the same corporation.

'13.—Alfred H. Sweet has accepted an appointment for the remainder of this year as instructor in History at Hobart College, Geneva, N. Y. Mr. Sweet received the degree of A.M. from Harvard in 1914, and since then has been assistant in English History at Cornell University.

'14.—Arthur L. Pratt is with the DuPont Powder Company at Washburn, Wis. Previous to securing this position, Mr. Pratt was in the employ of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company.

A YOUNG COLLEGE MAN'S  
ADVENTURES IN BUSINESS

(Not from the Arabian Nights)

Bill L---was recently graduated from a large University, age 21. He struck out for New York full of fire and ambition, with his future figured out beyond the decimal point, he couldn't lose. For wasn't he 6 feet 1, didn't he weigh 190, wasn't he the incarnation of "pep", and strong as a bull, the best athlete in his line in college!?

Somehow the jobs didn't rush at him as they should. When he finally landed one, it was with a coffee broker,--salary \$7 a week. Meanwhile he looked around assiduously to improve his condition. --and grabbed a chance to work nights in a shoe store at \$1 a night.

Finally when he had about decided to leave New York flat he saw our advertisement. We were very much impressed by Bill. His spirits were chastened; he had learned his lesson; all he wanted was a chance to make good.

After a reasonable novitiate, during which we put him through the departments and taught him the business, he started for himself as a salesman.

The results for the first month (in cash and future equities) were over \$400. When he finally finds himself, Bill expects to make \$10,000 a year, and in our opinion he will do it. Meantime he is building up a permanent business for himself.

This is a human document from life,--and only one of many we will be glad to show. We have several good openings for college men graduating in June similar to the one in which Bill started. If you are interested in this opportunity write promptly to L. A. Cerf, Manager, Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co., 135 Broadway, N. Y.

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## FRESHMEN WIN FROM BATES

For the third successive year the Bowdoin Freshmen won the annual relay race with the Bates Freshmen, held at Lewiston City Hall last Tuesday night. This year's race was won by the fine work of Turner, whose plucky running won for his team when defeat seemed certain. Hutchinson ran first and gained five yards on his man, Cole, running next, slipped on the first corner, losing his baton and allowing his competitor to obtain a lead of thirty yards. Mitchell passed the same handicap over to Turner who in a fine sprint won the race by a yard. The Bates runners were Baker, Purvere, Smith and Powers. Vance accompanied the Bowdoin men to Lewiston as alternate. The time of the race was three minutes one second for 1200 yards on a 75-yard track. A return race will be run between the same teams at the interclass meet next Friday night.

## LECTURE ON PLATTSBURG CAMPS

Mr. John M. Glidden of Newcastle spoke at the Union Thursday evening on the subject of "The Student Camps at Plattsburg." Mr. Glidden attended the business men's camp there last summer and spoke enthusiastically of the possibilities of such camps for college men. He described very graphically the military blunders which the United States has made in the past and is likely to make in the future. He quoted General Wood as saying that we could not possibly mobilize more than 60,000 men in thirty days at any point on our Atlantic coast, while 500,000 men would be required in case of war. He spoke on the certain disaster which comes to large bodies of men who are ignorant of the laws of sanitation and military science and he pointed out that it is especially the duty of the college man to educate himself in these respects and to prepare himself for the responsibilities of an officer of volunteers. In the discussion which followed, Schlossberg '18 announced, as president of the rifle club, that a canvass of the college would be made to find out how many men are considering going to Plattsburg next summer.

## MUSICAL CLUBS TRIP

The Musical Clubs leave on their Massachu-

setts trip next week, playing in Malden Tuesday, Peabody Wednesday, Lowell Thursday and Friday in Boston. The concert in Boston will be given in the Princesse Ball Room of the Hotel Somerset and will be followed by an informal reception and dancing. The Bowdoin Club of Boston is backing this affair and planning for a record attendance. The Massachusetts Club, recently reorganized here, is to co-operate in having a few sub-freshmen present and the more undergraduates present the better. Tickets for the concert, dance and refreshments will be a dollar and a half. The committee in charge consists of Ellis Spear, Jr., '98, chairman; Dr. E. B. Young '92, Dr. C. R. C. Borden '96, T. L. Pierce '98, R. L. Dana '01, P. M. Clark '04, Phillips Kimball '07, Dudley Hovey '09, Dr. H. W. Woodward '10, T. W. Williams '10, S. F. Dole '13, R. R. Melloon '15, G. A. McWilliams '15.

## SOPHOMORES WIN EASILY

The first annual Freshman-Sophomore meet was held in the Hyde Athletic Building Friday evening, the Sophomores winning with 70 points to 34 for the Freshmen. Savage '18 was high point winner, taking two firsts and a second for a total of 13 points. Turner '19 captured two firsts and a third and also broke Pierce's record in the 440 yard dash by two-fifths of a second. The record now stands at 57 seconds. The relay race was won by the Sophomores by a good margin. The summary is as follows:

40 yard dash: won by Pirnie '18; second, Savage '18; third, Barton '19; time, 4 4-5 seconds.

1 mile run: won by Mosher '19; second, Hamlin '18; third, Howard '18; time, 5 minutes, 63-5 seconds.

440 yard dash: won by Turner '19; second, Simonton '18; third, Wyman '18; time, 57 seconds. (Record.)

45 yard high hurdles: won by Savage '18; second, tied between Higgins '19 and Foulke '19; time, 6 1-5 seconds.

880 yard run: won by Turner '19; second, Mosher '19; third, Hersum '19; time, 2 minutes, 12 3-5 seconds.

Throwing discus: won by Hanson '18; second, Peacock '18; third, Stanley '18; distance, 94 feet, 6 inches.



36 lb. weight: won by Young '18; second, Wheet '18; third, Peacock '18; distance, 30 feet, 6 inches.

High jump: won by Savage '18; second, tied between Call '18 and Higgins '19; height, 5 feet, 5½ inches.

Shot put: won by Stanley '18; second, Peacock '18; third, Young '18; distance, 36 feet, 6 inches.

Broad jump: won by Hildreth '18; second, Foulke '19; third, Turner '19; distance, 18 feet, 11½ inches.

Pole vault: won by Warren '18; second, tied between Sawyer '19 and Leighton '19; height, 9 feet, 6 inches.

Relay race: won by Sophomores (Pirnie, Gray, Peacock, Savage, Hamlin, Wyman, Simonton); second, Freshmen (Hutchinson, McCarthy, Barton, Hersum, Mitchell, E. Holbrook, Turner); time, 4 minutes, 52 seconds; total distance, 2310 yards.

Starter, Trainer Magee; announcer, C. Brown '18.

#### INTERCLASS MEET FRIDAY

The 30th annual exhibition and 21st annual interclass indoor meet will be held at the Hyde Athletic Building, Friday, March 17. With the exception of the discus throw and 36 pound weight which take place in the afternoon, the events will be run off in the evening beginning at 7.30 sharp.

The following is the list and order of events: (1) 40 yd. dash trials and semi-finals; (2) Bates '19-Bowdoin '19 relay race; (3) final heat, 40 yd. dash; (4) 880 yd. run; (5) 45 yd. high hurdles, trials and semi-finals; (6) class of 1917 drill; (7) final heat, 45 yd. high hurdles; (8) 440 yd. run; (9) 45 yd. low hurdles, trials and semi-finals; (10) class of 1918 drill; (11) final heat, 45 yd. low hurdles; (12) mile run; (13) class of 1919 drill; (14) team races, 1917-1918, 1916-1919; (15) losers 1917-1918 vs. losers 1916-1919; (16) winners 1917-1918 vs. winners 1916-1919.

These are the field events: (1) discus throw (afternoon); (2) 36 lb. weight (afternoon); (3) running broad jump; (4) 16 lb. shot put; (5) running high jump; (6) pole vault.

The class drills are performed by a squad of twelve men picked from each class which exhibits a drill representing part of the gymnastic work that the class has been doing during the winter. The senior drill will be fencing with foils; the junior, single sticks; the sophomores, dumb bells; and the freshmen, Indian clubs. A prize cup which has been competed for since 1888 will be awarded to the winning squad. This squad holds it in the name of the class for one

year, and any class which wins it for three years will have final possession of it. The classes of 1898 and 1917 have each won the cup twice. There is also a cup given to the class winning the greatest number of points in the entire meet. This cup, too, is given to any class that succeeds in winning three meets. In the track and field events and in the team races, first place counts five points, second place three points, and third place, one. In the drill contests, first place counts ten, second place six, and third place, two.

The following men have been chosen to take charge of the meet: Referee and starter J. J. Magee; clerk of course, Marston '17; judges of finish, Dr. Copeland, Capt. Boyd of Bates, W. E. Chase '16 and J. A. Dunn '16; timers, Dr. Whit-  
tler, Mr. Langley and M. J. Ryan of Bates; judges of field events, Professor Nixon, Dr. Bell and Shumway '17; announcer, A. G. Ireland, Medic '18; measurers, Stuart '16 and Humphrey '17; scorers, Elliott '16, Philbrick '17; assistant clerks of course, Crossman '16 and E. H. Blanchard '17; inspectors, Edwards '16, Foster '16, Fuller '16; judges of drills, Professor Hormell, Professor McClean and Mr. Meserve.

The admission fee to the meet will be 50 cents.

#### RECORDS FOR INTERCLASS MEET

40 yard dash—43.5 seconds, 1915; D. W. Pierce '17, H. H. Sampson '17, G. S. Nevens '18, R. Pirnie '18.

440 yard dash—573.5 seconds, 1915; D. W. Pierce '17.

880 yard run—2 minutes, 9.2-5 seconds, 1915; D. H. Sayward '16.

Mile run—4 minutes, 42.3-5 seconds, 1914; C. H. Crosby '17.

45 yard high hurdles—62.5 seconds, 1914-15; P. S. Smith '15, W. A. Savage '18.

45 yard low hurdles—53.5 seconds, 1915; P. S. Smith '15, G. S. Nevens '18.

Running broad jump—21 feet, 6½ inches, 1915; P. S. Smith '15.

Running high jump—5 feet, 8 inches, 1915; H. S. White '17.

Pole vault—10 feet, 11¾ inches, 1914; F. P. McKenney '15.

Shot put—39 feet, 4 inches, 1915; G. W. Lead-better '16.

Class one mile relay race—3 minutes, 34 seconds, 1915; class of 1915.

#### HOCKEY CLUB ELECTS BARTLETT

The Brunswick Hockey Club, which has played all opponents in this state without a defeat, met Saturday for a picture and elected Boyd Bartlett '17 captain for next year. This action was

taken to sustain interest in hockey and to aim at the adoption of hockey as an intercollegiate sport. Plans are being made for the construction of a rink in Portland next winter and the promoters would welcome college teams there.

#### SHAKESPEARIAN PLAY COMMENCEMENT

The Masque and Gown will probably present this year as the commencement play, "The Taming of the Shrew." Trials will be held soon after the Easter vacation. This is rather later than usual, owing to the illness of the coach, Mrs. Brown. It is hoped that an unusually large number of men will try out for this play as it is an innovation for Bowdoin in several ways. Perhaps the most striking departure from past custom is that it will be presented in the evening. Arrangements are being made with the Edison Company of New Jersey for special lighting effects. The costumes will be more elaborate than in the past. As usual the play will be on the Art building steps. This performance will undoubtedly prove to be one of the features of commencement week, as this is the second time in the history of American colleges that such a performance has been attempted. A Shakespearean drama is particularly appropriate this year on account of its being the three hundredth anniversary of the great dramatist's death.

#### INTERSCHOLASTIC DEBATING

The third preliminary debate in the Bowdoin Interscholastic Debating League was held last Friday evening in the Portland City Hall. Portland High School defeated Cony High School of Augusta upon the subject: "Resolved, that the United States should take definite steps to bring about the organization of a Pan-American union as outlined in Usher's 'Pan-Americanism.' " Portland supported the negative side of the question. Hescok '16 and Kinsey '16 coached the two teams. The judges of the debate were Hon. E. C. Reynolds, Professor Hormell of Bowdoin and R. O. Brewster '09.

Portland will debate against Edward Little High School at Brunswick April 21 upon the same question, for the championship of League I. In League II the fourth preliminary contest between Lisbon Falls High School and Brunswick will not take place until April 14, at Lisbon Falls.

#### RIFLE CLUB MEMBERS

With the enrollment of ninety-three members in the new rifle club one of the largest squads ever engaged in any branch of organized athletics has been formed. Indoor gallery practice is

already being carried on by the experienced members of the club on the range of the Brunswick Rifle Club. The officers of the club are planning to fit up a range on the campus for the use of members as soon as a suitable location can be decided upon. There are three possibilities in view: the attic and basement of Memorial Hall and the basement of the chapel. In each case there is a 75-foot straightaway with room for half a dozen firing points.

The members of the new club are: from the faculty, Professors Moody, Sills, Hormell, Davis, McClean and Langley, and Mr. Meserve; from 1916, Baxter, Brackett, Churchill, Hall, Hawes, Head, Ireland, Irving, Leadbetter, Little, Merrill, Moulton, Nickerson, R. C. Parmenter, Pettingill, Sayward and Webber; from 1917, Achorn, Greeley, Gregory, Hargraves, Harrison, Keene, Kent, Lovejoy, Philbrick, Swift, True and Young; from 1918, Albion, Call, Coombs, Clark, Creighton, Daggett, Davison, DeMott, Freeman, Grant, A. S. Gray, O. L. Hamlin, Hazeltine, Howard, Hurlin, Johnson, Jones, Joyce, MacIntosh, MacMullin, Manderson, Schlosberg, Skolfield, Sloggett, Van Wart and Wallace; from 1919, Barton, Burr, Decker, B. Edwards, Gardner, Hargraves, Hemenway, Hill, Ingraham, Irving, Johnson, Kern, McCarthy, McClave, Perkins, Schwartz, C. S. Smith, R. W. Smith and C. E. Stevens; special students, Boothby and Woodfill; from the medical school, Follett and O'Connor, 1918.

#### MASSACHUSETTS CLUB FORMED

At a meeting held Monday, March 6, a group of Freshmen from Massachusetts formed a Massachusetts Club and elected as temporary officers: William Angus, president; John R. Gardner, treasurer; Ralph Irving, vice president; William E. Hutchinson, secretary. The purpose of the club is mainly to interest men of the Massachusetts preparatory schools to come to Bowdoin. An executive committee was chosen to have this matter as its particular duty and members of the club are expected to keep this committee informed regarding desirable men. Seven members of the faculty from Massachusetts are made honorary members of the club. It is planned to give a dance at the Union next fall for the incoming Massachusetts Freshmen.

This club is to some extent a renewal of a former Massachusetts Club which existed here from 1903 to 1911. While at present this one is merely a freshman club it is planned to enroll the freshmen of succeeding years and eventually make it a club for all Massachusetts men in college.

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## A Permanent Manager

We print in another column a letter from a member of the Board of Overseers regarding action of the Boards on the question of a permanent manager. Doubtless Mr. Achorn has reference to our editorial of December 21, 1915, which said, "The proposal of a permanent manager, preferably a graduate manager, has always been turned down with scant consideration because it is felt that Bowdoin cannot afford the salary a graduate manager could demand."

This vote of the Boards means that the college will pay the expenses of a permanent manager, provided one is appointed. It does not necessarily follow, however, from this authorization of the Boards, that the college can afford such an official. There is strong possibility, even if nominations and approvals are made by the various councils, that the appointment will not be made,

"because it is felt that Bowdoin cannot afford the salary a graduate manager could demand."

## Too Much Jewelry

It is with increasing amusement that we learn of the plans of another student organization to equip its members with official pins. The Massachusetts Club, recently resuscitated by a dozen Freshmen, is the last straw. What is the idea? Aside from a love of self-adornment or the glitter of tinsel, we can see little reason why our waistcoats should be covered with ornaments that represent nothing but participation in some dramatic production or residence in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Of course the members of any club can adopt any official insignia they wish; they have a perfect legal right to wear anything that conforms with law. But why this desire for cheap jewelry that can cause no good and may result in much unfavorable criticism?

## Selectmen Inconsiderate

Separated from the outside world by a Brunswick street flooded with water, the members of one fraternity built a bridge so that they could cross dry shod from their property to the campus. The bridge did not interfere in any way with passing teams, but the Brunswick selectmen peremptorily ordered the bridge to be removed. If the town of Brunswick cannot permit the erection of bridges to span its gutters, it should make provision for the draining of water. Bowdoin's eight fraternities pay, according to a recent report of the assessors, a sizeable tax. They are surely entitled to well-drained roads in front of their houses.

## COMMUNICATION

### To the Editor of the ORIENT:

DEAR SIR:—In one or more editorials written since the college opened last September anent the athletic situation I recall some such expression as "It is doubtful whether the college would feel that it could afford an athletic director," "It is doubtful whether the Boards of the college would vote to create such an official" (I quote from memory) from which I infer that the editors of the ORIENT and perhaps the student body and alumni, generally, are not aware of the fact that neither of these questions are in doubt as may be seen by vote of the Boards, taken June 24, 1915, as follows:—

IN THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BOWDOIN COLLEGE.

June 24, 1915.

Voted that the Athletic Council be requested to consider the advisability of any changes in the management of the athletic interests of the col-



lege, whether by the appointment of an athletic director, or otherwise, and to authorize the president, upon nomination by the Athletic Council and approval by the Alumni Council, to engage an athletic director, whose powers shall be fixed by the president.

Sent to the Board of Overseers for agreement.

(Signed) BARRETT POTTER,  
Secretary.

IN THE BOARD OF OVERSEERS OF BOWDOIN COLLEGE  
June 24, 1915.

Read and agreed to.

(Signed) THOS. H. RILEY,  
Secretary.

By this vote the Boards of the college have already vested in the Athletic and Alumni Councils the power to create the office and nominate the incumbent, and in the president of the college the power to engage an athletic director and define his duties.

Yours very sincerely,  
EDGAR O. ACHORN.

#### PRISON REFORM LECTURE

Thomas Mott Osborne, one of the most prominent prison reformers of the day, will lecture at the Union on April 5. During Mr. Osborne's administration of New York prisons, many radical changes were made in the penitentiary system of that state, and the examples set forth by him have been followed with success by officials of other states.

#### CRITICISM AND CRITICISMS

"It is the function of a newspaper to criticize. If its criticisms can be constructive, well and good; if not, also well and good—if criticism is deserved. In any event, a newspaper ought to say what it thinks about the merits or demerits of any public question or public institution."

—*Williamette Collegian*.

#### BRADBURY DEBATING

The debate between the two Bowdoin teams for the Bradbury Debating Prize will be held on Friday, March 17. This debate will be closed. The intercollegiate debate between Bowdoin and Wesleyan, to be held in the Union Thursday, March 23, will be followed by a social time with apples and smokes.

#### LECTURE ON CONDITIONS IN FRANCE

A large audience greeted Mme. Le Verrier of Paris at the Union last Thursday afternoon. As the speaker briefly told of the horrors of the present war in Europe, intense interest was shown in her words and few lecturers have received more

careful attention from the listeners. Speaking of the vast number of lost children in and about Paris, Mme. Le Verrier told of one girl in particular, whose nationality could only be guessed at from the oft-repeated question, "When will they glue mother's head on again?" Monsieur Le Verrier was the president of a college which is now an army hospital, and many were the sad tales of the wounded soldiers. As to the actual conditions under which these men were wounded it is impossible to learn—even the soldiers themselves refuse to tell of their experiences. The French find it necessary at present, not only to feed their own troops and the Germans captured during the war, but also to send food to their own men languishing in German prisons. After the lecture, samples of the work done by wounded French soldiers were placed on exhibition, and found a ready demand among the people present.

#### DEUTSCHER VEREIN FOBS APPEAR

The recently designed fobs for the Deutscher Verein have been received and are of a neat design. They consist of a bronze pendant upon a black ribbon. Upon the face of the pendant appears the German eagle, clasping the American flag with one claw and the Bowdoin seal with the other. The Verein seal, with the name of the college, society and owner's name, appear upon the reverse of the pendant.

#### PENOBSCOT ALUMNI ORGANIZE

The Bowdoin alumni of Penobscot County held a banquet at Bangor last Thursday evening, following which the Bowdoin Club of Bangor was organized. The following officers were elected: President, Walter V. Wentworth '86; vice-president, F. W. Adams '89; secretary-treasurer, Lester Adams '07; executive committee, J. C. White '11, Harry D. McNeil, Medic '13 and H. B. Nutter '05; committee on Bowdoin interests, L. T. Gray '02, E. T. Boyd '95 and J. A. Hamlin '00. Edgar M. Simpson '94 presided and remarks were made by Mr. Raymond W. Bowdoin of New York City, C. A. Flagg '94, C. T. Hawes '76, Dr. B. L. Bryant '95 and H. R. Nutter '05.

Among the others present were: L. A. Emery '61, D. A. Robinson '73, A. H. Harding '80, J. W. Crosby '82, J. H. Davis '86, M. S. Clifford '93, P. T. Haskell '93, H. W. Webb '90, L. C. Hatch '95, F. H. Mead '95, J. B. Thompson '96, J. P. Russell '97, J. F. Starrett '98, R. E. Bragg '01, H. F. Quinn '01, D. F. Snow '01, W. M. Warren '01, C. P. Connors '03, M. T. Phillips '03, S. B. Gray '03, D. I. Gould '04, A. H. Parcher '06 and F. U. Burkett '11.

## The Other Colleges

In order that their theoretical knowledge may link itself up with the practical problems of social and industrial life, all students of Reed College majoring in the departments of sociology and economics will be required to visit numerous municipal, social, industrial and judicial institutions before they are recommended for graduation.

A campaign has been started at the University of Kansas to compel the professors to close their classes on time. In a somewhat humorous strain, an article in the daily college paper requested that the students report offending professors for that day. Nineteen were reported.

Few people know when the system of signals used by football teams was originated. Twenty-seven years ago a small college in Philadelphia called the Pennsylvania Military College, defeated Princeton by a large score and introduced signals to the football world. Before this game the teams would line up on the field and before a play was run off the players would gather behind the line and talk it over. This made the game terribly slow and uninteresting to the people on the side lines, for there would be a pause of three or four minutes between plays. Some teams began the use of letters of the alphabet for different formations, but this was not satisfactory. Finally, the Pennsylvania college stumbled on the system of signals through an accident. All the students received a number when they matriculated, and this number was used while they remained in college. Sometimes they used the number instead of the name of the student in ordinary conversation, and it was on one of these occasions that the new system gained its start. The quarterback was apologizing to the coach for a poor play and, by chance, used numbers instead of names. The coach was quick to see the possibilities of the signal system, and the play was tried again. It worked well, the practice became a success, and the team went through the season winning every game.

A city wide campaign to interest boys ranging from sixteen to twenty years of age in the civic life of Cleveland, Ohio, has been launched by members of the Civic Club of Western Reserve University. The idea is to canvass all the clubs in the city which are composed of boys between sixteen and twenty, especially the clubs in the settlement houses and a special effort will be made to interest those boys in the problems of our government. Those clubs in the foreign districts will be sought out and a service will

thus be rendered to the city as well as to the boys themselves. The members of the Civic Club will have this task allotted to them. An investigation and selection of the best men in each one of those clubs will be made. Those selected from all the clubs will be formed into a sort of junior City Club. At about monthly intervals, they will meet in the City Club rooms where an interesting program will be given to them and by them.

The University of Maine has an active Stewards' Club this year. It is composed of two men from each house who meet once in two weeks to discuss prices and methods of buying which will save money to the fraternities. By this consolidation of the stewards great reductions can be obtained in buying certain staples used by all the houses. A carload of potatoes was bought and distributed by the club the first of the year, and ice has been secured from the university supply.

The Wesleyan University Athletic Association cleared \$3,614.90 from the season last fall. Rather a profitable sport for the Connecticut institution!

Recently a unique establishment was opened to the Yale public—"The Brick Row Print and Book Shop." A group of graduates who were desirous of offering the advantages of rare books and old prints and pamphlets to undergraduates are financing the venture. It will be conducted along the lines of the old book shops of England and New York.

Cornell is soon to enter upon a campaign to raise \$3,000,000 for an endowment fund. It is hoped that the campaign will be completed in time for the semi-centennial celebration in 1918. Next spring the women of the University expect to present an original pageant after those of the old English guilds in the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries.

At a meeting of the Forum of Harvard a short time ago, votes were cast for Republican presidential candidates. Theodore Roosevelt was victorious by a large majority. Justice Hughes of the Supreme Court was second, while Senator Root of New York, Senator Borah of Idaho and Governor McCall of Massachusetts received the remaining votes.

Through the efforts of President Fairchild, a series of free entertainments, coming at intervals, is to be offered the students at New Hampshire College, as a step toward giving them social opportunities for relaxation and improvement of the mind. The entertainments will consist of moving pictures of an educational character. The engineering division of the college will furnish and operate the moving picture machine and will have entire charge of the entertainments.

The Student Council at Harvard has urged the adoption of student waiters in the college dining halls. The proposed system is similar to that put in practice at Princeton last fall.

Members of the varsity football team at Columbia have organized a special class in religion to discuss the more fundamental questions of life which cannot be taken upon regular courses. Only football men will be admitted to the course.

The Maine Masque celebrates its tenth anniversary this year by producing "Lelio and Isabella," written for the Masque by Professor Windsor P. Daggett of the university faculty. The play is a novel and comical interpretation of "Romeo and Juliet" in the form of a *Commedia Dell'Arte*.

The General Alumni Society of the University of Pennsylvania is having a series of moving pictures taken of buildings and student activities on the campus of the university. The collection includes reels of pictures of varsity football and baseball contests, Commencement, the Bowl fight and the pushball fight. The films will be available for the meetings of alumni societies and will be shown extensively at high schools and preparatory schools.

At a recent meeting of the Dartmouth Athletic Council a decisive step was taken in the matter of sweaters for varsity players. In the past an athlete has been given a sweater every time he won his letter, but under a new rule he will receive only one sweater for his entire college course. In place of additional letters he will receive service stripes, as is now done in many other eastern colleges. The new rule will go into effect next fall.

## On the Campus

The ORIENT elections will be held Thursday evening.

Colby will have Greene, the Bates football coach, next fall.

The Friars will have a dinner and dance at Riverton in Portland Saturday.

The demand for snowshoes and skis far exceeded the supply during the last few days.

Term bills for the first Semester are payable on or before March 20, at the Treasurer's office.

Thomas Mott Osborne, former warden of Sing Sing, will speak here on the afternoon of April 5.

There will be an opportunity to make up gym cuts every afternoon at 4:30, beginning Thursday.

It is expected that the new non-graduate catalogue will be issued at Commencement. The printing of the book began last Friday.

The lecture on "Journalism" by John Clair Minot has been postponed to Tuesday, March 21, to avoid conflict with Irving Bacheller's lecture.

The final examinations in mathematics 2 and 2b (Solid Geometry and Conic Sections) will take place tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon at 2:30.

McNaughton '17 received a severe blow on the side of his head last Thursday during football practice and was rendered unconscious for some minutes.

The old running track in the Union was utilized as a gallery at Madame LeVerrier's lecture last Thursday afternoon, and it served the purpose well.

Zeta Psi will have its national convention in Philadelphia next month, and the Lambda chapter will be represented by Dunn '16, Edwards '16 and Blanchard '17.

Henry Nelson '91, Henry W. Cobb '00, principal of Cony High School, F. E. Harrington '12, Douglass '13, Haseltine *ex-'18* and Longren *ex-'18* were on the campus recently.

A Bowdoin Club was formed in Bangor last Thursday, when 33 alumni from Bangor and the nearby towns were present. The club will hold monthly dinners and is less formal than the alumni associations. There are similar clubs in Portland and Boston.

Theta Delta Chi held Alumni Night at the charge house Friday evening. Professor Mitchell was toastmaster, and there were among the alumni who spoke, F. J. C. Little '89, Dr. L. S. Lippincott '10, H. P. Marston '11, J. A. Slocum '13 and D. K. Merrill '15.

Delta Kappa Epsilon of Maine held its annual banquet in Portland at the Congress Square Hotel Saturday evening, nearly the entire chapter here attending. Drummond '16 and Philbrick '17 were on the committee of arrangements and Fuller '16 was among the speakers.

Bancroft *ex-'16* has secured a responsible position as manager of the International Brick Company of El Paso, Texas, one of the largest manufacturing concerns of that city. He has recently written his friends at Bowdoin a very interesting account of the Mexican situation as viewed by American residents on the border.

The National City Bank of New York has taken over the International Banking Corporation and offers a training course in domestic and foreign banking, open to college men during the last two summer vacations of their college course and in February for those completing their college work in three and one-half years. Students desiring recommendations for these positions may apply to the President.



The growing popularity of the Plattsburg idea among Bowdoin's undergraduates insures a large attendance from the college at the camp next July. Although but few have sent in their applications as yet, many men are considering going to the camps and several are at present planning to go. Among these latter are Hawes '16, Head '16, Moulton '16, Noble '16, Pettingill '16, Robie '16, Babcock '17, Blanchard '17, Bond '17, Philbrick '17, Rickard '17, Ross '17, True '17, Fay '19, Ham '19 and McClave '19.

### RESOLUTIONS

HALL OF THETA OF DELTA KAPPA EPSILON

March 13, 1916.

Theta Chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon records with deep regret the death of one of its younger and most loyal alumni, Robert Chapman Foster, of the class of 1901. Brother Foster graduated from Harvard Law School in 1905 and has since been practicing his profession in the office of his father, the late Judge Enoch Foster of the class of 1864.

For many years he was greatly interested in military matters, and was a brilliant officer in the Maine Militia. Not without faults, which he himself was the first to recognize, he was a loyal friend to the few for whom he cared; he was frank and straightforward; and his early death is an occasion of genuine regret to his classmates and to those who were bound to him by fraternity ties.

RICHARD STEARNS FULLER,  
DONALD WARD PHILBRICK,  
WILLARD ARNOLD SAVAGE,  
*For the Chapter.*

### CALENDAR

#### March

14. Y. M. C. A. Picture, 1 P. M.
15. Board of Managers' Picture, 1 P. M.
16. ORIENT Board elections.  
Irving Bacheller Lecture, Memorial Hall.
17. Indoor Interclass Meet.  
Band Picture, 1 P. M.
18. Prize Debate, closed.  
Seniors' Last Gym.  
Freshman Relay Picture, 1 P. M.
21. Musical Clubs at Malden.  
Lecture on Journalism, John Clair Minot, in the Union.
22. Musical Clubs at Peabody.
23. Intercollegiate Debates; Hamilton at Clinton, N. Y.; Wesleyan at Brunswick.  
Musical Clubs at Lowell.
24. Vacation Begins, 4:30 P. M.  
Musical Clubs in Boston.

## Alumni Department

'01.—Captain Robert C. Foster, son of the late Judge Enoch Foster, Bowdoin '64, died suddenly March 9, in Roxbury, Mass., probably from heart failure. Private funeral services were held the following day at the home of the deceased in Portland, Maine, and directly afterward military services were held in the Wilde Memorial Church.

Born in Bethel, Maine, March 19, 1880, Robert Chapman Foster obtained his early education in the schools of his native town, entered Gould Academy, and after being graduated from that institution, matriculated at Bowdoin. After completing his four year course here in the class of 1901, Mr. Foster studied law at Harvard University, and received the degree of LL.B. in 1905. In 1904 he was captain of the Harvard Rifle Club. He was admitted to the Cumberland County Bar in 1905, and practiced in the office of his father, the late Enoch Foster, former justice of the Supreme Court of Maine. Some time after the death of his father, Mr. Foster's attentions turned to medicine, and last September he entered the Harvard Medical School. Owing to ill health, he had made frequent visits to his home in Portland, and at Christmas time was compelled to give up his course of study at the Medical School.

Mr. Foster was high in the Masonic order in Portland, and was a member of the Portland Lodge of Elks, of the Portland Yacht Club, of the Portland Gun Club, and of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion, Commandery of Maine.

Becoming interested in military affairs, Mr. Foster reorganized Company E, First Maine Infantry, N. G. S. M., and was commissioned its captain on June 15, 1909. When the First Infantry was transferred to the Coast Artillery, Captain Foster was retained as commanding officer of Company E, which then became the Fifth Company. After a year of honorable service, he tendered his resignation, and was discharged on May 24, 1911. In less than a week after his discharge as a commissioned officer, he offered his services to the state again, and enlisted as a private in the company he had formerly organized and commanded. He was soon promoted to be corporal, and in 1913 was elected second lieutenant. A year later he was elected captain, and was transferred to the Quartermaster Corps, attached to the Coast Artillery.

While serving as a private in the Fifth Company, Captain Foster was generally reputed one of the best gun-pointers in the service of the state. He was also an excellent rifle shot, and won many trophies in marksmanship.

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## PROVISIONAL COMMENCE-

### MENT APPOINTMENTS

The list of provisional Commencement appointments was announced at the last faculty meeting. Each man will write an essay and the five best will be selected for delivery on Commencement Day. The provisional list is as follows: Ralph L. Barrett, John L. Baxter, Sydney M. Brown, Aaron W. Canney, Alfred H. Crossman, James A. Dunn, Malcolm H. Dyer, Ora L. Evans, Herbert H. Foster, Edward P. Garland, Alex J. Goodsey, Lawrence J. Hart, Hugh M. Hescok, Laurence Irving, Alfred C. Kinsey, Guy W. Leadbetter, E. Robert Little, Abraham S. Schwartz, Philip F. Weatherill and J. Glenwood Winter.

### NEW ORIENT BOARD ELECTED

The annual elections of the ORIENT Board were held Thursday evening. D. W. Philbrick '17 was elected editor-in-chief; R. G. Albion '18, managing-editor, and W. S. Cormack '17, alumni editor, for the coming year. The new members of the Board from the freshman class are Raymond L. Atwood, Rolland C. Farnham and Clyde E. Stevens.

An amendment to the constitution was adopted, increasing the number of associate editors from eight to nine and including the business manager among those eligible to vote.

Farnham '19 has been assigned to the "Campus" column and Stevens '19 to the department of "The Other Colleges."

### INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATE THURSDAY

While one team is upholding the affirmative of Bowdoin in a battle of words at Hamilton next Thursday night, another team composed of Moran '17, Lane '17 and Bowdoin '17, will clash with a Wesleyan team here in the Union at eight. The subject is, Resolved that Ex-secretary Garrison's plan for military reorganization should be adopted. The team at Wesleyan will uphold the affirmative and the home team will argue for the negative. President Hyde will preside. Owing to the fact that the teams, under the direction of Professor Davis, have been working hard in preparation, the debate in the Union will be ex-

ceptionally good, and every man in college is urged to be present Thursday night. In the past the team which went away has always been defeated, while at home we have always won. It is hoped that we may carry off both debates this year. After the debate at the Union, apples and smokes will be passed around.

A practice debate was held Friday afternoon to contend for the Bradbury prizes. The affirmative team, composed of Hescok '16, Chapman '17 and Jacob '18, won by unanimous decision.

### JUNIORS WIN INTERCLASS MEET

The 21st annual indoor meet and 30th annual exhibition held in the Hyde Athletic Building Friday evening, March 17, was won by the class of 1917. The results in points were: Juniors 52 points; Seniors 44½ points; Sophomores 35½ points; Freshmen 27 points. The individual star of the meet was Turner '19 who set up a new record of 57 1-5 seconds in the 440 yard dash, won the mile run and, running anchor for his class against the Bates freshmen, won the relay race after overcoming a 30 yard lead which the Bates men had obtained over the three previous Bowdoin men. Six records were broken and two equalled. Savage '18 broke the record in the 45 yard low hurdles. In the finals of high hurdles however, he was disqualified. The high point winners of the meet were Leadbetter '16 and Sampson '17, each winning 13 points for his class, Leadbetter breaking the shot put record and Sampson equalling the 40 yard dash record. The other records to go were in the running high jump, won by White '17, in the 880 yard relay won by 1916 (against 1919) and in the 1760 yard relay won by 1918 (against 1916).

The summary of results is as follows:

40 YARD DASH: Won by Sampson '17; second Pirnie '18; third Webber '16; fourth Bond '17. Time, 4 3-5 seconds. (Equalling record).

880 YARD RUN: Won by Fillmore '17; second Simonton '18; third Hamlin, O. L. '18; fourth Hersum '19. Time, 2 minutes 15 seconds.

45 YARD HIGH HURDLES: Won by Webber '16; second White '17; third Nickerson '16. (No fourth place). Time, 6 1-5 seconds.

(Savage in his trial heat made a record of 6 seconds which will stand.)

440 YARD DASH: Won by Turner '19; second Pirnie '18; third Wyman '18; fourth Doherty '19. Time, 57 1-5 seconds. (Record).

45 YARD LOW HURDLES: Won by Savage '18; second Webber '16; third White '17; fourth Young '17. Time, 5 3-5 seconds. (Equalling record).

MILE RUN: Won by Turner '19; second Mosher '19; third Irving '16. (No fourth place). Time, 5 minutes.

THROWING DISCUS: Won by Moulton '16; second Leadbetter '16; third McConaughy '17; fourth Colbath '17. Distance, 121.58 feet.

36 POUND WEIGHT: Won by Leadbetter '16; second Colbath '17; third Moulton '16; fourth Peacock '18. Distance, 46 feet 9½ inches.

RUNNING BROAD JUMP: Won by Hall '16; second Sampson '17; third White '17; fourth Rickard '17. Distance, 19 feet 8 inches.

PUTTING 16 POUND SHOT: Won by Leadbetter '16; second Stanley '18; third Young '18; fourth Brewster '16. Distance, 41 feet 3¾ inches. (Record).

RUNNING HIGH JUMP: Won by White '17; tied for second Fenning '17, Rickard '17, Keene '18, Nickerson '16. Height, 5 feet 6 inches. (White jumped 5 feet 9 inches for a record).

POLE VAULT: Won by Sampson '17; tied for second Warren '18 and Fenning '17; tied for fourth Ripley '18 and Young '17. Height, 10 feet.

CLASS DRILLS: Won by Freshmen with Indian clubs (Hilton, *leader*; Dunham, *pianist*; Farnham, Haynes, Nelson, Gray, Sylvester, Barry, Decker, McCarthy, McDonald, Angus, Paul); second Juniors with broad swords (Little, *leader*; Biggers, *pianist*; Spalding, Philbrick, Cook, Lovejoy, Moran, Gregory, Boothby, Stone, Babcock, Colby, Owen); third Sophomores with dumb bells (Chase, *leader*; Stetson, *pianist*; Call, Coombs, J. E. Gray, Norton, Stearns, Prosser, Wass, Ridlon, Parker, Wheat, Lane, Curran).

CLASS RELAY RACES: 1916-19; won by 1916 (Hall, Head, Sayward, Pettingill, Leadbetter, Hodgkins, Ireland, Webber); second 1919 (Barton, Sullivan, Hersum, Hargraves, Cole, Hutchinson, E. Holbrook, Turner). Time (880 yards), 1 minute 42 1-5 seconds. (Record).

1918-1917: Won by 1918 (Pirnie, Gray, Stanley, Peacock, O. L. Hamlin, Wyman, Savage, Simonton); second 1917 (Sampson, Bond, Chapman, Cormack, Fenning, Young, Fillmore, Pierce). Time, 1 minute 42 3-5 seconds. (880 yards).

1919-1917: Won by 1919 (Barton, Sullivan, Hersum, Holbrook, Cole, Hutchinson, Doherty, Turner); second 1917 (Sampson, Bond, Chap-

man, Cormack, Fenning, Young, Fillmore, Pierce). Time (1760 yards), 3 minutes 39 2-5 seconds.

1918-1916: Won by 1918 (Pirnie, Gray, Stanley, Peacock, Hamlin, Wyman, Savage, Simonton); second 1916 (Hall, Head, Pettingill, Leadbetter, Hodgkins, Sayward, Ireland, Webber). Time (1760 yards), 3 minutes 31 4-5 seconds. (Record).

BOWDOIN 1919-BATES 1919: Won by Bowdoin 1919 (Cole, Mitchell, Hutchinson, Turner); second Bates 1919 (Baker, Powers, Smith, Purvere). Time (1320 yards), 2 minutes 51 1-5 seconds.

The officials were the following:

Referee and starter, Trainer Magee; clerk of course, Marston '17; judges of finish, Dr. Cope-land, Captain Boyd, Bates, Chase '16, Dunn '16; timers, Dr. Whittier, Mr. Langley, Coach Ryan, Bates; judges of field events, Professor Nixon, Dr. Bell, Shumway '17; announcer, Ireland, Medic. '18; measurers, Stuart '16, Humphrey '17; scorers, Elliott '16, Philbrook '17; assistant clerks of course, Crossman '16, Blanchard '17; inspectors: Edwards '16, Foster '16, Fuller '16, Bird '16; judges of drills, Professor Hormell, Professor McClean, Mr. Meserve; assistant manager, Walker '18; assistants, Mahoney '19, Tebbetts '19, Martin '19, R. A. Stevens '19.

#### LONG STRING OF RELAY VICTORIES

The victory of our freshmen over Bates at the indoor meet Friday evening makes the seventeenth consecutive relay race that Bowdoin has won in the last three years. They are as follows: In 1914, Boston University at Providence; in 1915, Brown University at Boston, University of Maine at Boston, Bates at Boston, Colby (eliminated) at Boston, Massachusetts Agricultural College at Hartford, Trinity at Providence; in 1916, Bates at Boston, University of Maine at Boston, Colby (eliminated) at Boston; Worcester Polytechnic Institute at Hartford. In the three years the Bowdoin freshmen have won six consecutive races from the Bates freshmen.

#### TRACK NOTES

The record holder and time of the Bowdoin-Bates freshmen race was omitted from the programs of the interclass meet. 1917 holds the title, the team which won it being as follows: Pierce, Robinson, Humphrey and Crosby. The time was 2 minutes 49 seconds.

The date of the dual meet with Bates is April 22. The track men will lay off for a week or more, but Trainer Magee recommends that all men keep up light training.



## INDOOR RIFLE MATCHES

The first rifle team which has represented Bowdoin for about a quarter of a century, shot two matches against the Brunswick Rifle Club at the latter's indoor range, Monday evening, March 13. Each team consisted of seven men, the five highest scores counting in determining the results. Bowdoin lost both matches, the first by five points and the second by nine points. The scores:

FIRST MATCH			
BRUNSWICK RIFLE CLUB		BOWDOIN	
Sleeper	22	Sayward	22
Copp	22	Schlosberg	21
Baker	22	Johnson	21
Howe	21	Langley	19
Foster	20	Achorn	19
Total	107	Total	102
SECOND MATCH			
BRUNSWICK		BOWDOIN	
Lincoln	24	Schlosberg	22
Strout	22	Johnson	21
Howe	22	Sayward	21
Baker	22	Langley	20
Foster	21	Achorn	18
Total	111	Total	102

## REPORT OF FOOTBALL MANAGER

## RECEIPTS

A. S. B. C. appropriation.....	\$1,400 00
Alumni Fund .....	725 00
From 1914 season.....	160 77
Sale of equipment.....	29 80
Training table .....	121 71
N. H. State game (gate).....	119 75
Amherst game (guarantee).....	225 00
Boston College game (gate).....	85 00
Wesleyan game (guarantee).....	350 00
Colby game (½ net gate).....	414 31
Bates game (½ net gate).....	287 88
Maine game (gate, etc., total).....	2,184 25
Tufts game (gate).....	1,192 00
Unclassified .....	127 82

Total receipts for season..... \$7,423 29

## EXPENDITURES

N. H. game.....	\$ 219 06
Amherst trip .....	417 10
Boston College game.....	217 72
Wesleyan trip .....	416 17
Colby game .....	116 61
Bates game .....	75 85
Maine game .....	1,520 88
Tufts game .....	757 47

Coach Campbell .....	1,500 00
Coach Campbell, expenses .....	117 33
Asst. Coach Smith.....	350 00
Asst. Coach Smith, expenses.....	93 70
Trainer Magee .....	300 00
Equipment .....	677 32
Equipment, repairs .....	31 35
Training table .....	185 30
Printing .....	58 10
Laundry .....	27 26
Drugs, tape, etc. ....	77 00
Express .....	7 58
Postage .....	7 93
Telegrams .....	3 26
Unclassified .....	240 77

Total expenditures for season..... \$7,417 76

## ASSETS

Cash on hand..... \$ 5 53

## LIABILITIES

None ..... \$ 0 00

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD P. GARLAND,  
*Mgr.*

Audited and found correct,

BARRETT POTTER.

February 11, 1916.

## LARGE SQUAD FOR BASEBALL

A temporary cut was made in the baseball squad last week and the following 33 men are now reporting for practice in the cage:—Catchers: Churchill '16, Dyar '16, Chapman '17, Boratis '19, Robinson '19, Thomas '19; Pitchers: Fraser '16, Grierson '16, Knight '16, Merrill '16, Pendleton '18, Stanley '18, Butterfield '19, Savage '19, L. Smith '19, Tuttle '19, J. White '19; Fielders: Goodskew '16, Kelley '16, McElwee '16, Bradford '17, Phillips '17, Donnell '18, Needelman '18, Woodman '18, P. Doherty '19, Finn '19, Grover '19, Ham '19, Larrabee '19, McClave '19, McPherson '19, and Murch '19.

Coach Houser is expected either tomorrow or Thursday to supervise practice. He will take permanent charge about the first of April.

## VACATION NOTICE

The Easter vacation begins 4:30 P. M., Friday, March 24 and ends at 8:20 A. M., Tuesday, April 4. The usual penalties will be inflicted for cutting the two days preceding or following the recess without permission from the Dean. Men who are on probation will not be excused for early leave of absence. Those who wish to attend the concert of the Musical Clubs in Boston next Friday evening, may obtain permission at the Dean's office to leave on the 11 A. M. train.

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## Our Swan Song

Another ORIENT year has passed. With this issue the Senior editors complete their service on the board. It is with both relief and regret that we lay down the editorial pen, for however great the pleasure of our work has been, we have not been free from criticism; but if we have performed any service to the college we are content. In our successors we have confidence. May they make the ORIENT more truly a determining factor in the life of the college.

We believe that the province of the ORIENT is mainly in our undergraduate activities and it is only occasionally that we have dealt with matters that come properly within the jurisdiction of minds more mature than ours. We have devoted our attention to matters which concern Bowdoin College in particular rather than colleges in gen-

eral. A year ago we stated our policy to be not to criticise radically or to shout for reform in a spirit of militant journalism, but to criticise helpfully, to suggest and to serve. It is with this in mind that we have endeavored to shape our views in discussion of matters that we considered of interest to our readers.

During the past few years changes in the college have been many. The faculty and the student body have been enlarged. New courses have been added to the curriculum. The resources of the college have been increased. The Bowdoin Union has at last opened its doors. A new gymnasium has been built. The establishment of the Blanket Tax has put athletics and other activities upon a more reliable financial basis. We have achieved some athletic successes, the greatest of which has been the maintenance of a standard free from hint of unfairness or professionalism.

But the end is not yet. One of the greatest needs of the college is an infirmary. The need for a new dormitory is emphasized each year by the increasing number of men forced to room off the campus. The gymnasium is incomplete without a swimming pool. We are constantly forced to make endeavor to bring good men to Bowdoin. The question of a permanent manager and his salary is again brought before the college. The intense fraternity rivalry constitutes a very real problem.

We hope and believe that Bowdoin will continue to grow as she has done in the past,—to grow and to grow well. Our regret is that our undergraduate service is at an end.

## Again the Jewelry

Since our editorial of last week regarding pins or other jewelry as the official insignia of undergraduate activities we have been asked to define organizations which, in our opinion, are entitled to the adoption of a badge. To draw a hard and fast line would be difficult and would but injure the feelings of many. It is enough to say, perhaps, that custom at Bowdoin and other colleges permits pins only for fraternities or class societies or other organizations which perform a real service for the college. We do think that Bowdoin activities are sufficiently tagged.

## Bugle Honors

Allied with the question of jewelry is that of the so-called *Bugle* honors. What constitutes a *Bugle* honor? The unfortunate tendency to pad the honor list in an effort to make the individual or his fraternity seem prominent and influential might make the reader believe that the most mi-

nute details of undergraduate existence should be recorded. We cannot agree with this definition. Only those activities for which all students are eligible, regardless of race, religion or other conditions not imposed by the organizations themselves, can be honestly catalogued as college honors. The only advantage derived from a detailed account of participation in relatively insignificant affairs is as a matter of record, and, in insignificant affairs, record is valueless.

#### The Massachusetts Club

A club has recently been formed by the Freshmen from Massachusetts for the purpose of attracting students from that state. The purpose is a commendable one, for the student body is a more convincing argument than campus or college literature sent out to attract freshmen, but it is doubtful if the sectional club can perform this function. Every man is naturally active in interesting students in his college, and fraternity partisanship would break up any organized attempt on the part of a club. Ten years ago nearly every county in Maine had its club, and the students from out of the state were also organized, but the sectional club has had its day and has ceased to be. It has not been a success in attracting sub-Freshmen, and as a social factor it is not necessary in a college of this size.

R. G. A.

#### COMMUNICATION

*To the Editor of the ORIENT:*

May I be granted space enough to reply briefly to your editorial on my letter in your last issue calling attention to the action of the Boards of the College last June in authorizing the appointment of an Athletic Director.

You say there is a strong possibility even if nominations and approvals are made by the various Councils, that the appointment will not be made, because it is felt that Bowdoin cannot afford the salary a graduate manager could demand.

The inference to be drawn from your comment is that the President might not make an appointment although both the Boards of the College and the Alumni and Athletic Councils had acted favorably in the premises.

I hold no brief for this President as to what his action might be, but I may call attention to the fact that the Boards of the College, in whom is vested the authority to determine what the college can afford, have considered and determined that issue.

Be the action of the Athletic and Alumni Councils what it may this much is certain that Bow-

doin College cannot afford to have its athletics managed other than in the most efficient, creditable, and up to date manner.

Yours Very Sincerely,

EDGAR O. ACHORN.

#### IRVING BACHELLER LECTURES

The Saturday Club lecture in Memorial Hall last Thursday evening was attended by a large audience of club members and college students. The lecturer, Irving Bacheller, the well-known novelist, entitled his address, "Keeping Up With Lizzie." The author, by the impersonation of a typical small town lawyer, aims to show the decadence of New England country life caused by the dropping of old-fashioned ideals. Lizzie is the daughter of one of the town's grocers who is sent to finishing school on the suggestion of a rich "agriculturalist" neighbor. The other families in the town follow the grocer's example and vie with one another in extravagance. The story of their rivalry in luxury and final repentance was told in a delightfully humorous style and the lecture ended with a plea for saner living, "Home, children, and the work that goes with them are the only three genuine luxuries people can afford."

#### TENNIS TOURNAMENT AT ORONO

The managers of the four college tennis teams met in Waterville Saturday and decided to hold this year's championship tournament at Orono, May 25 and 26. The association then elected the following officers: President, Richard J. Kimball of Colby; Vice-President, Philip Webb of Bates; Secretary, Kenneth G. Stone of Bowdoin; Treasurer, L. I. Friese of Maine.

#### FRESHMEN APPOINTED TO ANNAPOLIS

Merrill F. Sproul '19 has been appointed to the United States Naval Academy by Congressman Guernsey, and left college Thursday to prepare for the spring examinations for admission.

Horace Burroughs, special, has received a similar appointment from Congressman Hinds under the new law increasing the enrollment at Annapolis. He has already taken the examinations.

#### MUSICAL CLUBS LEAVE

The Musical Clubs left this morning on the annual Massachusetts trip and will play tonight in Malden. The schedule includes Peabody, Wednesday; Lowell, Thursday, and Boston, Friday. In regard to the Boston Concert, particulars of which were given in the ORIENT last week, reports from Boston indicate a large attendance and undergraduates who plan to attend should



send their checks for a dollar and a half for tickets at once to Ellis Spear, Jr., 626 Tremont Building, Boston.

The Boston alumni desire to entertain a number of desirable sub-freshmen and students who know of good prospective Bowdoin men near Boston are requested to see Dunn '16, Irving '16 or Moulton '18 as soon as possible.

#### NEW GOVERNMENT COURSES

The following votes were recently adopted by the faculty of Bowdoin College:

1. That Government be expanded to cover a year's work of three hours per week, or its equivalent, including in its scope national, state and municipal governments in the United States, their structure and operation, some comparative study of governments, together with problems of government and international relations; and that this course be elective for freshmen and sophomores.

2. That a full second year's instruction in Government be offered by adding to the present semester course in American Municipal Problems a semester course in International Relations, after next year.

The foregoing recommendations are offered for the following reasons:

1. Americans need an understanding of the purpose and methods of government and some insight into its problems before the age of twenty-one.

2. They need early training in the use of newspapers and current periodicals.

3. Their duties as citizens will, in the immediate future demand an intelligent insight into international relations.

4. This latter feature of the courses recommended provides one way of emphasizing in the curriculum the factors that make for good will among nations. This plan thus embodies a guiding principle declared by the Faculty in its recent resolutions on Preparedness.

#### RIFLE CLUB ACTIVE

An effort is being made to have the coach of the championship rifle team of the First Corps Cadets of Massachusetts give an illustrated talk upon rifle instruction shortly after vacation.

A tentative certificate of membership in the National Rifle Association has been received from the War Department at Washington. This certificate will become permanent upon the appointment of an official N.R.A. supervisor and judge.

Challenges for indoor rifle matches have been

received from several clubs in the state. All have been discreetly turned down, however, because of the lack of experience and range facilities.

Eight or ten men will be wanted by the club, shortly before the arrival of the equipment from Springfield, to fix up the range.

A list of questions is being circulated among the members of the faculty and student body to obtain information for the use of both the rifle club and the college in regard to the general attitude toward military training. These lists are in charge of one man at each fraternity and should be filled out and returned by Saturday, April 8th. The questions are as follows:

1. Have you had military instruction?
2. If so for how many years?
3. Where?
4. What is the highest rank you have held, and where?
5. Would you enlist in an independent volunteer company at Bowdoin if proper instruction in military tactics and military science were given supplemented if possible by work at Fort McKinley and by work in Aeronautics at Augusta?
6. Do you hope to attend Plattsburg this summer?
7. Would you attend if your transportation were provided by the State?
8. Would you attend for credit towards your college degree?
9. Would you take a course in Military Science given by a competent army officer?

#### THE FEBRUARY QUILL

The February *Quill* is remarkable for the leading story, "Between the Tides" by Morris Atkins. This shows a very unusual imagination for an undergraduate production and its style is mature and striking. In a literary way Mr. Atkins has developed great ability; and he shows real promise. To go to another country and to describe with vividness things under conditions that could never have been seen or known, is unusual, especially when the picture is powerful and realistic. As in all young writers there is a vein of imitation, and it is almost obvious to remark that one sees the influence of both Kipling and Edgar Allan Poe.

Mr. Achorn's sonnet "Immortality" contains some good lines and is effective. Not so much can be said of his story "Across the Years," which is feeble in plot and in execution.

"The Path of Yesteryear" by A. C. A. is a little affected and shows the fondness of youth for draped and somber verse; but it has music and poetic fancy.

The *Quill* closes with a pleasant tribute to Mrs. Kate Douglas Wiggin.

—S.

#### Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Sunday, March 12, there was a deputation to Falmouth Foreside, with Professor Langley and R. Peacock '18 in charge. Last Sunday, Professor Langley led deputation work in Bath, and a deputation of three men, McIntire '17, MacCormick '18 and R. Peacock '18 made a week-end trip to North Windham. A deputation will probably be sent to Winthrop, Sunday, April 9.

John Clair Minott '96, associate editor of the *Youth's Companion* and the *Boston Herald* will lecture at the Union this evening upon "Opportunities in Journalism."

The night school, conducted by Association men at the Brunswick High School, has been discontinued after a very successful term. Indications are that next year's school will be more successful than ever.

At the cabinet meeting in the Union last evening, a nominating committee was selected to nominate next year's cabinet. The election will take place in a few days.

### With the Faculty

Dean Sills will speak at the banquet of the alumni association of Aroostook County at Houlton, this evening. During his absence from college he will also address the students of Presque Isle and Fort Fairfield high schools.

Professor Mitchell will represent the college at the dinner of the alumni association of Providence during vacation.

Professor Hormell is compiling a bulletin on budget-making for towns, and the work will soon be published by the college. His comparative figures for Brunswick have already been published and proven of great value.

Doctor Whittier has recently inspected the infirmaries among the New England colleges, but nothing definite can be said at present about an infirmary for Bowdoin.

President Hyde attended the dinner of the Bowdoin Club of Portland, last Thursday.

### On the Campus

Beta Theta Pi and Theta Delta Chi will hold their annual house parties on Friday, April 28.

Among those on the campus last week were A. H. Lewis '15, Boardman *ex-'16*, R. O. Allen *ex-'18*.

The Christian Association held a cabinet meet-

ing in the Union last evening. A nominating committee was appointed for the coming annual elections.

Professor William Scott Ferguson of the Harvard Department of Ancient History will lecture on Monday, April 10, before the Classical Club, upon "Ancient and Modern Greece."

At a meeting of the Sophomore class recently, the following committee was elected to take charge of the class banquet: Savage (chairman), MacIntosh, Van Wart, Matthews, Reynolds, Harrington, Brown, Babbitt, Gray, MacCormick, and Brierley. This committee will pick out the possible dates for the banquet and will submit them to the class to be voted upon.

#### CALENDAR

##### March

21. Musical Clubs at Malden.  
John Clair Minot lecture in Union.
22. Musical Clubs at Peabody.
23. Intercollegiate Debates: Hamilton at Clinton, N. Y., Wesleyan at Brunswick.  
Musical Clubs at Lowell.
24. Vacation begins, 4:30 P. M.  
Musical Clubs in Boston.

##### April

4. Vacation ends, 8:30 A. M.
5. Thomas Mott Osborne lecture.

### Alumni Department

'56.—Judge Enos T. Luce, who is the oldest presiding official of any court in Massachusetts, has broken up his old home, and has gone to live with his son, former Lieutenant-Governor Robert Luce, who recently purchased a residence with the idea of having his father spend his declining years with him. Judge Luce is eighty-four years old and was eligible for retirement some years ago, but he has continued actively in the service from love of the work.

*Ex-'67*.—Elbridge Y. Turner, aged seventy-five, died at his home in Auburn, Maine, February 26. His life was spent chiefly in the teaching profession.

'71.—Rev. Everett S. Stackpole, D.D., former pastor of the Wesley Methodist Church of Bath, is now writing a *History of the State of New Hampshire*. For several years following his graduation, Dr. Stackpole was a teacher in Maine high schools and academies, and then entered the Methodist Episcopal ministry, with which he was connected till 1901. At that time he became a Congregationalist, and since then has filled pastorates in that denomination.

'77.—Frank H. Hargraves of West Buxton has been mentioned as a possible Republican candidate for election to the Governor's Council to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. Charles M. Sleeper, Medic. '83, who was recently appointed United States Customs Collector for the Portland District. Although Dr. Sleeper is a Democrat, and the other six members of the Governor's Council are Democrats, it is thought that a Republican will be elected to bring the Council up to the required number of members.

'03. Rev. Haraden S. Pearl has resigned his position as pastor of the North Congregational Church of Belfast.

'04.—Philip M. Clark has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for District Attorney of Middlesex County, Massachusetts. Mr. Clark was born in Portland, and after his graduation from Bowdoin entered the Harvard Law School from which he was graduated in the class of 1907. He now resides in Newtonville, Massachusetts.

'05.—A son, Daniel Waldron Pettengill, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray W. Pettengill of Cambridge, Massachusetts, March 4. Mr. Pettengill is an instructor in German in Harvard College, a position which he has held since 1910, when he received the degree of Ph.D.

'05 and Medic. '10.—Frank M. Mikels, M.D., junior assistant physician of the New Jersey State Hospital at Morris Plains, has just written, in collaboration with Britton D. Evans, M.D., medical director of the same institution, a useful pamphlet on *The Therapeutic and Economic Value of Diversional Occupation*.

'07.—Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Miss Margaret V. Moore of Washburn, Wisconsin, to Aubrey Voorhees, formerly of Bath. The wedding took place February 12, and the young people are to make their home after April 1 at 487 Oakland Avenue, St. Paul, Minnesota. The groom has been in business in Chicago, Illinois, and in Hudson, Colorado.

Ex-'08.—Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hanson have returned to Bath after residing for several years in Seneca, N. Y., where Mr. Hanson was engaged as a draughtsman in the employ of the Erie Canal Commission. He has accepted a position in the hull drawing room of the Bath Iron Works.

'08.—Lientenant Earl H. Coyle of Portland is an officer of Troop L, Thirteenth Cavalry, which is participating in the pursuit of Villa's army into Mexico. No word has been received from him directly since the Mexican raid in Columbus, New Mexico, but as his name is not included

among those killed or injured it is believed that he has escaped the bullets of the Mexicans.

After receiving his degree from Bowdoin in the class of 1908, Mr. Coyle did postgraduate work at Berkeley Institute in Berkeley, California for three years. Becoming interested in the army, he took the examinations, and received a commission as a lieutenant in the cavalry. His first assignment was in a surveying expedition in Alaska. He has been in the army for five years and has been on the Mexican border since 1913, being stationed at El Paso to help guard the silver smelters for two years, after which he was transferred with his troop to Columbus, New Mexico, to assist in the border patrol.

'12.—Arthur H. Parcher is an interne in the Eastern Maine General Hospital at Bangor.

'12.—Frederick B. Simpson and Miss Frances P. Eldridge of Bangor were united in marriage on March 13. The couple are now on their wedding trip to Boston and New York, after which they will make their home in Bangor. The groom is a graduate of Bangor High School and of Bowdoin College, and has been in business in Bangor since his graduation. The bride was a classmate of the groom in Bangor High School, and is a graduate of Mt. Holyoke College.

'13.—Frank I. Cowan of Winterport has entered the Maine Law School.

'13.—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Greenleaf of Lisbon Falls have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Gladys Maud Greenleaf, to Alfred Henry Sweet, an instructor at Hobart College, Geneva, N. Y. After having previously attended Trinity College and the University of Toronto, Mr. Sweet was graduated from Bowdoin in the class of 1913. At the completion of a year of graduate study in the department of history at Harvard University he received the degree of A.M., and had served one semester as instructor in history at Cornell University when he was elected to a similar position at Hobart College.

'14.—Ermond L. Sylvester has a position in the National City Bank of New York City.

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